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The Morning Star.

OUTLINES.

Debate of the divorce question in the Episcopal general convention was continued yesterday without action. —— White men are supplanting negroes at New Orleans as roustabouts. —— A receiver has been appointed for the Commonwealth Tobacco Co. —— The battle south of Mukden continued yesterday, the third day of the engagement between the Russians and Japanese. ——Carter Harrison of Chicago was in conference with Judge Parker on political affairs in Illinois and other Western States. —— Japs captured a British steamer conveying supplies to Port Arthur. —— The second day of the Davis campaign in West Virginia was marked by enthusiasm at all points visited. —— Rioting occurred in Chicago in connection with a strike of drivers of baggage wagons. ——New York markets: Money on call steady at 1@2¼ per cent.; rosin steady at $3.90 for strained common to good; spirits turpentine quiet at 55@55½c; cotton quiet at 10.55c.; flour steady, with fair demand; wheat—spot strong, No. 2 red $1.16½; corn—spot strong, No. 2 57c.

WEATHER REPORT

U. S. DEP'T OF AGRICULTURE,
WEATHER BUREAU,
WILMINGTON, N. C., Oct. 12.

Meteorological data for the twenty-four hours ending at 8 P. M.:

Temperatures: 8 A. M., 65 degrees; 8 P. M., 73 degrees; maximum, 85 degrees; minimum, 65 degrees; mean, 75 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00; rainfall since first of the month to date, .34 inch.

COTTON REGION BULLETIN.

Traces of rain reported in the Atlanta, Augusta, Galveston, Montgomery and Wilmington districts, and light showers in southern Alabama, Louisiana and Mississippi. Temperatures are somewhat lower over the greater portion of the central and western districts.

STORM WARNING.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 12, Advisory 4 P. M.—The barometer is still falling over the middle Caribbean sea, and reading twenty-nine inches and sixty-six hundredths at Kingston Jamaica. No well defined storm is apparent in that region, but conditions favor development.

FORECAST FOR TO-DAY.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 13.—For North Carolina—Fair Thursday except on the coast. Friday rain in the eastern portion, fair in the west; brisk northeast winds.

Port Almanac---October 13,

Sun Rises	6.05 A. M.
Sun Sets	5.28 P. M.
Day's Length	11 H. 23 M.
High Water at Southport	11.18 P. M.
High Water Wilmington	1.48 A. M.

Since Senator Fairbanks returned from California, he talks like a man full of prunes.

It is mighty hard to be a Southern Republican and cling to a white man's sentiments.

The trusts are financing Roosevelt's campaign but maybe that's the best way to bust them.

In New York the other day $3,000 men filed by and took Judge Parker by the hand. That's one time the boys held a winning hand.

Just look at the way in which Uncle Henry Davis is covering ground in his campaign tour through several States. He is mighty hefty for an 82-year old.

An exchange informs us that President Roosevelt now weighs 212 pounds. Well, gentlemen, that is 212 pounds more of him than the country needs in its business.

Roosevelt is trying to court confidence by saying if he is elected he will retain Secretary Hay in his cabinet. It is about time now for the Maude Muller of the Democratic party to begin to rake Hay.

Says the Jacksonville Times-Union: "A man who tried to corner the egg market has just failed for $20,000, and finds it impossible to shell out." Somebody has apparently rounded up the egg supply and set a high price on them.

The November number of the Nineteenth Century Home has been received. It is an ideal magazine of fashion, art and literature, and the copy before us is a gem. Subscription price $1 per annum. Price per copy 10 cents. Address The Nineteenth Century Home, Irvington, New York.

Attorney General Cuneen, of New York, again the Democratic nominee for that office, was bitterly attacked by Governor-Chairman Odell. It were better that he had let the Tartar alone, for Cuneen shows from the record that the Odell crowd ought to be in the penitentiary instead of in charge of the affairs of a great State.

Did you read the account of the rip-roaring sport on the Nassau road near New York city on Saturday? The automobile race, with those engines of destruction plunging along the track at the rate of 60 to 90 miles an hour, was a howling success, as only one man was killed and a dozen or so ground up so nobody could recognize them. The man who witnessed the automobile race for the Vanderbilt cup was not very far wrong when he said: "We had a h—l of a time at the races."

LOCAL DOTS.

— Other local, fourth page.

— On the local market yesterday $2.45 was bid for rosin.

—British steamer "Daleby," 2,253 tons, sailed yesterday from Hull for this port.

— Mr. J. V. Grainger has been elected vice president of the Murchison National Bank.

— The Health Department yesterday lifted the quarantine for diphtheria at 614 South Second street.

— Rev. J. M. Wells, Ph. D., will be the speaker at the men's meeting at the Y. M. C. A. Sunday afternoon. The Association Male Quartette will sing.

— Hutaff Brothers will establish cocoa cola bottling works in Rocky Mount. Mr. W. J. Hutaff has gone there to look after the installation of the plant.

— In the police court yesterday Henderson Hayes was given 30 days for drunkenness and an additional "30" upon the former judgment which was suspended on condition that he leave town.

— A thief raided Mr. I. M. Bear's hennery, back of his residence on Princess street night before last, and stole 28 fine fowls. A part of them were some game chickens owned by Mr. Victor Bear.

— The capacity of the Angola Lumber Company, of this city, will be increased from 60,000 feet per day to 110,000. An order has been placed for a band mill, which will almost double the present capacity of the plant.

— The Postal Telegraph Cable Company announces the completion of the cable between Sitka and Valdez, and business will now be accepted for points in Alaska at greatly reduced rates via Seattle.

— British steamer "Falka" cleared yesterday with cargo of 5,075 bales of cotton for Bremen. British schooner "Tyree" cleared for Port-au Spain, Trinidad, with cargo of lumber from the Cape Fear Lumber Co.

— A deed was recorded yesterday for the transfer of the wharf property next south of Market dock from R. H. Northrop, commissioner, to John W. Harper, for a consideration of $1,500. Capt. Harper is having a two-story building erected on the wharf. The lot fronts 33 feet on the river.

— Susanna Loftin, the young colored woman who attempted to drown herself in Smith's Creek Tuesday, was released by the police yesterday as it developed that her attempt at suicide was only in a fit of despondency over rejection by her fiancee. She was committed to the keeping of her relatives.

U. D. C. AT FAYETTEVILLE.

Local Chapter Arranging Delightful Programme for State Meeting, Oct. 26th.

Fayetteville Chapter, Daughters of the Confederacy, Mrs. Hunter G. Smith president, is making elaborate arrangements for the entertainment of the State Convention, U. D. C., which will meet in that city on October 26th, the meeting having been transferred from Goldsboro on account of an epidemic of diphtheria. The convention will assemble in the Pythian hall, which is admirably fitted for the purpose. A programme has already been partially arranged. Mayor McMillan will formally welcome the Daughters in behalf of the city and in behalf of Jeb. Stuart Chapter, U. D. C., of Fayetteville, Mr. J. H. Myrover will deliver the address of welcome.

There will be a reception to the visitors by the members of the Fayetteville Chapter on Wednesday evening. Thursday afternoon Mrs. Herbert Lutterloh will entertain the visitors at her beautiful country home, "Beaver Lake." An entertainment by the Fayetteville Independent Light Infantry on Thursday evening; an afternoon tea, by Mrs. Wharton J. Green, at Tokay; drives, etc., will be among other features of the social side of convention.

THE MERCHANTS' ASSOCIATION.

Regular Monthly Meeting of Board of Directors Held Yesterday Afternoon.

The regular monthly meeting of the Board of Directors of the Merchants' Association was held yesterday afternoon in its office at the Seaboard Air Line building. The meeting was called to order by President Chas. M. Whitlock with the following Directors present: Messrs. W. B. Cooper, W. E. Worth, James M. Hall, N. M. McEachern. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. The correspondence of the secretary and attorney general of the Retail Merchants' Association was taken up by the Board, and after some debate, the secretary was instructed to acknowledge the receipt of same, at the same time assuring them of their hearty support in the matter they are advocating for the benefit of the merchants all over the State.

The resignation of Mr. Geo. Honnett as a Director and a member of the Association was read and on motion was accepted. Mr. William Goodman was on motion elected to fill the vacancy.

Secretary and Treasurer John Haar submitted his monthly report which was on motion received and ordered filed.

Messrs. Archie S. King and John W. Capps were unanimously elected members of the Association.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

J. H. Rehder & Co.—Hats.
F. E. Hashagen Co.—Flour.
Worth Co.—Red rust-proof oats.

TRIAL BEGINS TO-DAY

Fate of Clarkton Negroes Will Likely Be Settled Ere Another Morn.

DEVELOPMENTS YESTERDAY.

Brown Recognized Voice of Guard During Stillness of Night and Reiterated His Original Story, Fixing the Crime Upon Sellers--Other Cases.

[*Special Star Telegram.*]

ELIZABETHTOWN, Oct. 12.—The attendance upon Superior Court here to-day was small, but a great crowd is expected to-morrow in anticipation of the trial of the Clarkton rapists. The docket was cleared of all other criminal cases this afternoon and the trial of the negroes will begin promptly at 9 o'clock to-morrow morning. The probable outcome of the hearing is the one topic of conversation on the streets now. The jail is still being zealously guarded and Sheriff Lyon and his deputies are on the alert. No lynching is feared unless something new develops. None of Mrs. Packer's folks are here, neither are there any relatives of the negroes in town.

Sam Smith, the negro convicted Tuesday of an attempt to criminally assault Miss Lizzie Gooden, a 15-year old white girl of Bladenboro last June, was sentenced to five years in the penitentiary, Judge Ward having refused a motion by his counsel, R. L. Lyon, Esq., to set aside the verdict. The negro takes an appeal to the Supreme Court and his bond was fixed at $500.

Sellers and Brown, the Clarkton fiends, and Smith are all in jail together and they pray loudly throughout the night and day. Dave Brown, one of the negroes accused of murdering Mrs. Packer and who made a confession implicating Sellers, recognized the voice of one of the guards at the jail last night and conversed with him at some length about the case, despite the advice of his appointed counsel to the contrary. Though he wavered in his statement when brought back from Raleigh, and said that he only knew that Sellers left the camp on the morning of the crime, he told the guard whom he recognized last night practically the same story as he told at the coroner's jury the day after the murder, fixing the crime absolutely on Sellers, if he is to be believed. Sellers learned of the talk Brown was having with the guard during the night and quarrelled bitterly with him. Brown however, sticks to the story that Sellers committed the crime and confessed it to him (Brown) when he returned to the camp before they were arrested. The second confession of Brown after his temporary refusal to talk and his apparent weakening of his story, has created some interest.

The only case of interest tried to-day was that of J. P. Thompson, white, charged with retailing liquor without license. He was sentenced to nine months in the penitentiary. Thompson is 70 years old and is blind. This is his third offence, hence the rather severe penalty.

STOLE FROM LEADING LADY.

Act of Precocious Negro Youngster at the Academy Tuesday Night.

To go behind the scenes, rob the leading lady of her money, boldly present himself five minutes later at the theatre entrance, buy a ticket, go inside, watch the performance and get caught before the last act, was the unusual feat accomplished by a diminutive negro lad, known as "Happy Hooligan," during the performance of "For Her Children's Sake" at the Academy of Music Tuesday night. The precocious youngster, who is less than 10 years of age, is in jail and will be given a preliminary trial by Justice Fowler this morning.

The boy in some unaccountable way got through the stage door early in the performance Tuesday night, and while the leading lady was before the footlights during the first act, he slipped into her dressing room and took $4.83 in silver from a purse lying on a shelf, paying no attention to several diamonds and other jewels in the same receptacle. "Hooligan" then slipped out of the theatre again and went boldly to the entrance to the gallery and bought a 25c. ticket, passing inside. The loss was reported to Constable Savage, the house officer, as soon as the leading lady returned to her room, and as the boy excited suspicion when he bought the ticket and went up in the gallery, he was promptly confronted with the theft. He confessed to Constable Savage and showed the officer where he had hidden the change under a seat in the gallery. As the boy has not reached the age of accountability in law, Justice Fowler is puzzled to know what to do with the waif.

Shepard's Moving Pictures.

Shepard's Moving Picture exhibition was the offering at The Academy at both matinee and night engagements yesterday and the same will be repeated to-day. The exhibition is easily the best of its kind seen here. The films are well selected and the machine is in the hands of a person who has a thorough knowledge of how to get the best effects. Those who witnessed the exhibitions yesterday were highly pleased and take pleasure in recommending the show to their friends. Seats for the engagement to-night are now on sale at Plummer's.

— Mr. E. B. Taylor, of Columbia, the "inland water way missionary," is in the city.

PRETTY EVENING WEDDING.

Miss Lillie B. Walker and Mr. Charles LaFayette Dickinson Happily Married Yesterday—Bridal Tour.

The marriage of Miss Lillie Walker, the attractive young daughter of Mrs. Emma Mercer Walker, of this city, and Mr. Charles LaFayette Dickinson a prominent young insurance man of Wilmington, in Grace M. E. church at 6 o'clock yesterday evening, was one of the prettiest weddings of the early Fall season. The church, made beautiful in a decoration of ferns, smilax and potted plants from the exquisite gardens of the Wilmington Floral Company, was thronged with guests of the popular young people and the scene was one to challenge the admiration of the most fastidious. The service was impressively spoken by the Rev. N. M. Watson, pastor of the church. The wedding marches were played by Miss Cannie Chasten, the bridal party entering to the tuneful strains of Lohengrin in the following order:

The ushers, Dr. Thos. M. Green, Mr. Jos. W. Yates, Mr. Thos. B. Orrell and Mr. Wm. S. Bernard.

The maid of honor, Miss Henrie Walker, a sister of the bride.

The bride on the arm of her uncle, Mr. J. B. Mercer.

At the altar the bride was joined by the groom who entered from the choir room, attended by his best man, Mr. Robert C. Sloan. When the party had been grouped about the altar, the ceremony followed according to the beautiful rites of the Methodist church, the bride having been given away by her uncle.

The bride was charmingly attired in a travelling gown of brown broadcloth and carried a handsome bouquet of bride's roses and maiden hairferns, tied with white ribbon. The maid of honor wore an exquisite creation of pearl grey crepe with real lace trimmings and black picture hat. Her bouquet was of pink carnations and plomosus ferns tied with pink ribbon. The male attendants wore black suits with white vests and boutonnieres of pink carnations.

The party left the church to Mendelssohn's Wedding March and Mr. and Mrs. Dickinson were accompanied at once to the A. C. L. station, whence they departed on the northbound train for a wedding tour to Washington and New York. Returning in about a week, they will be at home at the residence of Mr. W. H. Howell, No. 716 Market street. They have a large number of friends here and elsewhere as was abundantly testified by the large number of handsome wedding gifts received.

HANDSOME BUSINESS HOUSE.

VanAmringe Building on Second Street Will be a Model One—Plans.

Mr. L. A. H. Koeth, architect, Room No. 1, Masonic Temple, has completed the plans for the handsome new two story building which Mr. Cyrus S. VanAmringe will build on the south side of Second, between Market and Dock streets. Bids for the construction of the new building are now being received and the contract will be awarded about Nov. 1st. It is proposed to have the new building completed by Jan. 1st. The new building will front 30 feet on Second street and run back into the block 67 feet.

The front will be of white press brick, trimmed with brown stone, the doors and windows being finished in plate glass. On the first floor will be a large auction room, 37x87 feet in size. On the left as you enter the door will be a handsome oak partition enclosing an office 10x20 feet in size. An elevator will give easy access to the second floor, where a large dance hall will be kept open for rent, the dimensions of the room being 37x42½ feet in size. Near the front will be dressing rooms for both ladies and gentlemen with lavatories and toilet rooms in the rear. There will also be an office on the same floor. The building will be fitted with electric light fixtures throughout. The foundations and architecture of the front will be so constructed that an additional two floors may be added at any time. It is the purpose of Mr. VanAmringe to enlarge the building in that way in the very near future.

UNIVERSITY ALUMNI.

Gathered Last Night at The Orton to Do Honor to Their Alma Mater.

AN ENJOYABLE BANQUET.

Association Formed and Officers Elected. Speeches by Prominent Sons of the Institution—A Tribute to Gen. Ransom—Other Notes.

Loyal sons of the State University, each of them distinguished in that particular walk of life to which their lines have fallen, and representing graduates and matriculates who have gone out from the classic walls of that great institution for more than half a century, gathered last night at The Orton to do honor to their alma mater. The occasion was the celebration of "University Day" along the lines suggested recently by President F. P. Venable to the alumni of that historical institution in every quarter of the habitable globe. It is perfectly safe to say that nowhere was the spirit of President Venable's suggestion carried out more perfectly or more appropriately than in Wilmington, which has sent with each recurring year her full quota of young men to the fountain head of North Carolina's great educational system.

The celebration here took the form of an assemblage of university alumni in the parlors of The Orton, the organization of an enthusiastic association and a delightful banquet in the dining room of the hotel afterwards. More than fifty of the University men of the city responded to the invitation for the celebration and at 8 o'clock the parlors of The Orton presented an animated scene. Mr. C. W. Worth, who with Mr. J. O. Carr, was largely instrumental in bringing about the delightful affair, called the meeting to order and briefly stated the object. It required no motion to resolve those in session into an alumni association and an election of officers was immediately held with the following result:

President—Mr. C. W. Worth.
Vice President—Mr. J. O. Carr.
Secretary—Mr. Jno. D. Bellamy, Jr.
Treasurer—Mr. E. Payson Willard.

After the transaction of other business looking to the perpetuity of the organization just formed, the alumni were invited to the pretty new dining room of the hotel where an elaborate banquet had been prepared by Manager Hinton and served with his characteristic regard for style and respect for the "inner man." Some of the younger members of the banqueters, as they assembled at the dining room entrance, gave with much fervor the University yell. Each of the guests wore a boutonniere of white and blue ribbon—the University colors. The tables in the dining room were arranged in the shape of a large "U." At the head sat Col. A. M. Waddell, one of Wilmington's most distinguished men as well as an honored Carolinian. On the left was Col. John D. Taylor, a member of the class of 1853 with Col. Waddell, and on his right, Mr. C. W. Worth. Prof. M. C. S. Noble and Dr. W. J. H. Bellamy, other distinguished alumni, also had seats at the head of each column. The decorations were in U. N. C. colors and were very pretty. The banquet scene could not have been more inspiring. It was a bright augury of other events of similar nature that are to follow from year to year in the future life of the Association. The menu was as follows:

Lynn Havens in Deep Shell

Celery — Salted Almonds — Pickles

Broiled Blue Fish, Maitre de Hotel
Pommes Julienne

Olives — Tomatoes

Fillet of Tenderloin, aux Champignons
Asparagus

Reed Bird on Toast
French Peas

Maccaroons — Bisque Cream in Moulds

Coffee — Toasted Crackers

Cigars

Among all those who assembled at the festive banquet board were Hon. George Rountree, Mr. James Sprunt and Mr. C. W. Worth, trustees and honored alumni of the University; Pro'. M. C. S. Noble, of the faculty of the University; Mr. C. L. Van Noppen, of Greensboro, a distinguished alumnus of the institution, who is now travelling in the interest of "Men of Mark in North Carolina;" Col. A. M. Waddell, toastmaster; Col. John D. Taylor: Dr. E. J. Wood, Dr. W. J. H. Bellamy, Prof. R. D. W. Connor, Dr. T. M. Green, Dr. L. H. Love, Capt. James I. Metts, Marsden Bellamy, Jr., Brooke G. Empie, Herbert McClammy, Geo. L. Peschau, John D. Bellamy, Jr., M. H. Allen, Adolph G. Ahrens, H. C. Bear, Benj. Bell, Jr., J. O. Carr, Milton Calder, D. N. Chadwick, Jr., C. C. Covington, T. W. Davis, George Davis, E. Forshee, Clayton Giles, Jr., R. H. Gwaltney, Louis Goodman, Jno. S. McEachern, Gaston Myers, T. D. Meares, Jr., Eugene Martin, Cameron MacRae, E. A. Metts, Geo. L. Peschau, S. T. Pender, J. F. Post, Jr., W. L. Smith, J. M. Stevenson, A. F. Whitaker, W. P. M. Turner, E. Payson Willard, J. W. Yates and C. W. Yates, Jr.

When fragrant Havanas had been lighted, Col. Waddell, the toastmaster, who was on the programme for "Some Reminiscences of the University," delighted his comrades of years gone by as well as the younger members of the party with an interesting sketch of his college days, treating the subject with "both humor and pathos," according to the popular term. Col. Waddell was at his best and nothing further need be added to those who know him for his reminiscences of any period.

Herbert McClammy, Esq., paid an eloquent tribute to the lamented Senator Ransom as a "Product of the University," to which subject he was most happily assigned. The full text of the speaker's beautiful remarks upon this "grand old man eloquent" are given elsewhere in to-day's paper.

Dr. E. J. Wood spoke on "What the University Offers to a Medical Student," a subject upon which he is peculiarly well fitted to speak. The progress of the Medical School at the University was traced from its origin, the success of its students in other universities and hospitals and the high rank that the alumni of the school have taken in the profession itself. The medical department of the University was a credit to that institution and to the State of North Carolina.

In the absence of Rev. R. B. John, who had been assigned to speak of the "Religious Life at the University' and who had been called away by the death of a friend, the toastmaster presented Prof. Noble, of the chair of pedagogy in the University. Prof. Noble expressed delight at being present and witnessing the University spirit in Wilmington, but he felt a sadness in the fact that since he had last met with the alumni in Wilmington, a number of the University's most distinguished sons had passed over the river. Among those he mentioned, paying an eloquent tribute to each, were Col. K. M. Murchison, the late DuBruiz Cutlar, Esq., Mr. D. G. Worth, Dr. William W. Harriss, Capt. W. R. Kenan and others, all honored and respected by their fellowmen.

Regret was expressed that T. E. Brown, Esq., could not be present and respond to the toast. "The University and Athletics" as had been expected, Mr. Brown being out of the city on professional business.

Marsden Bellamy, Esq., was practical in his treatment of the subject, "The Purport of This Meeting." Mr. Bellamy spoke of the great good to the University that would follow a live alumni association of the kind just formed. The University has no rich men to endow it with vast wealth and its future must depend upon the united efforts of those who claim it as their alma mater. He recounted men of prominence in this and other States who had been students there. The time was during his career at the University when other States were fully as well represented in the number of matriculates as North Carolina itself and he saw no reason why the institution should not now be just as attractive to the young men of other States as it was then. He closed with an appeal to every alumnus to join and work together as one man for the upbuilding of the State and its University.

The set speeches over, Col. Jno. D. Taylor was called upon and was very happy in his response, referring to himself and Col. Waddell as in "the sear and yellow leaf." By request Cameron F. MacRae, Esq., read a greeting from President Venable, informing the alumni of the continued growth and prosperity of the University and calling attention to its needs, especially in the way of the Y. M. C. A. building. The enrollment this year has reached the tremendous proportions of 619. The report was greeted by much enthusiastic applause.

Col. Waddell next called upon some of the younger members of the party, among the responses being Mr. J. M. Stevenson, Prof. R. D. W. Connor, Mr. Jos. W. Yates, Mr. Marsden Bellamy, Jr., Mr. Thos. W. Davis and others. In presenting Prof. Connor, the toastmaster spoke with regret of Prof. Connor's contemplated departure from the city, but rejoiced with him in his promotion to a greater field of usefulness. Prof. Connor thanked Col. Waddell for his kindly reference and said that he was not old enough for reminiscence, but he desired to speak of two of the best and most cultured educators the University had ever known—Dr. Geo. T. Winston, to whom he would refer in Dr. Winston's own terms as the "steam engine in breeches," and the gifted Dr. Edwin A. Alderman, a native of Wilmington and an honored son of Carolina, who had lately been called to the head of another great university in another State. He also paid a tribute to Dr. Kemp P. Battle, through whose instrumentality the university was opened after the war. In concluding his remarks, Prof. Connor said humorously that while he wasn't old enough for reminiscences, he had no idea but that Joe Yates, Marsden Bellamy and Tom Davis could give some rich, rare and racy experiences of life at Chapel Hill if they so desired; that he was certain Joe Yates wanted to make a speech because he had told him so. Mr. Yates denied the soft impeachment and responded in brief congratulatory remarks and casting "aspersions" on the other two younger alumni mentioned by Prof. Connor. Mr. Bellamy brought a counter charge and left Mr. Davis with explanations in order. The last named turned the joke very neatly on the other two members of the trio, who had had "their say," and the pleasantry ended a most delightful affair shortly before the midnight hour.

AS ROOSEVELT WOULD HAVE IT.

PRETTY AFTERNOON WEDDING.

Miss Dora Bornemann the Attractive Bride of Mr. Eugene R. Pickard.

Miss Dora R. Bornemann, the attractive young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bornemann, and Mr. Eugene R. Pickard, of this city, were united in marriage at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon at the home of the bride, Seventh and Ann streets, in the presence of a large number of relatives and friends of the contracting parties. The ceremony was performed by Rev. W. A. Snyder. Miss Lillie Bornemann was maid of honor and Mr. Fred. Tienken was best man. The residence was handsomely decorated in cut flowers, evergreens and potted plants. The wedding marches were skilfully rendered by Miss Katie Fick.

Mr. and Mrs. Pickard left on the afternoon Seaboard Air Line train, having been accompanied to the station by a host of friends who showered them with rice and good wishes for a pleasant journey through life. The bride and groom were tendered a reception last night at Mr. Pickard's former home in Charlotte. They will continue their trip to-day to the St. Louis Exposition, returning in about ten days and making their home at Eighth and Orange streets.

A. & N. C. TRAFFIC DEAL.

Issue Through Bills of Lading in Future to Beaufort, N. C.

[*Special Star Telegram.*]

GOLDSBORO, N. C., Oct. 12.—Beginning October 15th, the Atlantic and North Carolina railroad and its connections will sell through tickets and issue through bills of lading for freight to and from Beaufort, N. C., instead of only to Morehead City as heretofore. This arrangement was brought about by a contract signed to day between the Howland Improvement Company, lessee of the A. and N. C., and the Beaufort, Morehead City and Ocracoke Steamship Company, under which the latter company agrees to handle all the railroad's freight and passenger business between Beaufort and Morehead City. The railroad will establish a warehouse and agency at Beaufort. This will be in effect an extension of the railroad to the latter place and is an arrangement that the people living there have long desired.

Elaborate Bazaar.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. are arranging to give a big bazaar during the month of December, the proceeds of which will be donated to Association improvement. The bazaar will last two days and will be known as a "Congress of Nations." The booths will be supervised by ladies in the costume of the country represented and in every way it is intended to make the affair as realistic as possible.

In Honor of Miss Kramer.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Runge entertained quite a party of friends at the Howard Relief Club last evening in honor of their guest, Miss Kramer, of Baltimore. A large number of friends greatly enjoyed the event.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

— Mrs. J. A. Fountain has returned from a visit to Rocky Mount.

— Mr. C. C. Parker, Jr., a popular young Wilmingtonian now with the Seaboard Air Line at Portsmouth, Va., arrived last night to spend a few days a home.

— Among yesterday's arrivals were Messrs. B. C. Glass, Marion; E. B. Wright, Boardman; W. H. Pyke, Southport; Wm. E. Dunstan, Elizabeth City; W. J. Gibson, Goldsboro; J. F. Woodward, Warsaw; H. F. Adleks, Raleigh.

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For Vice-President:
HENRY G. DAVIS,
of West Virginia.

State Democratic Ticket.

For Governor:
ROBERT B. GLENN.
For Lieutenant Governor:
FRANCIS D. WINSTON.
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J. BRYAN GRIMES.
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For Congress—Sixth District:
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County Democratic Ticket.

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SHERIFF.—Frank H. Stedman.

TREASURER.—Hector McL. Green.

REGISTER OF DEEDS.—William H. Biddle.

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CONSTABLE, Wilmington Township, —W. B. Savage.

GETTING IN GOOD WORK.

The Hon. Henry G. Davis, Democratic nominee for Vice President, is having a triumphant tour on his campaign train through Maryland. The Baltimore Sun of Tuesday contains an enthusing account of the great gathering in that city on Monday night to hear Mr. Davis and the speakers who are accompanying his train. It was "a record-breaking throng that filled Lyric Hall and plaza to cheer for Parker and Davis," says the Sun. Our esteemed contemporary also says:

"One of the greatest gatherings the Democratic party has ever held in the State took place last night at the Lyric, and not for many campaigns has the party presented the solid and unbroken front there seen.

It was a gigantic assemblage of the flower of the Maryland Democracy, representative not only of the best citizenship, but typical of every wing and element of the party. So large was the throng that for blocks on both sides of the hall the streets were choked with a vast concourse of people, and the roar and thunder of the applause inside the building was answered by a perfect tempest of enthusiasm from the multitude without.

Probably there has never before in Maryland been gathered together on one stage as distinguished a group of national Democrats as faced those cheering thousands last night, and the welcome accorded this galaxy of stars in the Democratic firmament was one that fairly shook the building and was enough to send a thrill through the heart of the most phlegmatic person.

There were the two octogenarians—Hon. Henry G. Davis, the candidate for Vice President of the United States, and ex Gov. William Pinkney Whyte, the "Grand Old Man" of Maryland, and the sight of these venerable but sturdy Democrats was sufficient in itself to start a wave of enthusiasm which swept all before it and brought every man and woman in the house to their feet.

The ovation accorded Hon. David Benjamin Hill, that great New York chieftain, whose famous phrase "I am a Democrat" still lives in the memories of people all over the United States, and who has only recently announced his prospective retirement from politics after 40 years of leadership, was directed by Senator Gorman, to whom was also given a demonstration of an unusual kind.

Hon. John W. Daniel, the veteran Senator from Virginia, whose eloquence has before enthused a Maryland crowd, was greeted with cheers that it seemed would never subside, but rose and fell with ever-increasing volume, while the soldier-statesman, with his flowing locks and swarthy countenance, looked into the faces of the shouting thousands.

Ringing and eloquent speeches were made and the Democratic doctrines were set forth with a power and force that again and again carried the audience fairly off its feet and brought everybody out of his seat with a cheer. President Roosevelt and the Republican policies and performances were denounced with a vehemence and logic that struck home with convincing force, and the most tremendous cheering greeted the prophecies of both Senator Gorman and ex-Senator Hill that the Parker-Davis ticket would be triumphantly elected in November.

The big audience was different from any seen in the Lyric in a long time, and the fact that it is not, as is usual, composed largely of what is known as the rank and file of the forces of the regular organization, made the spontaneous euthusiasm all the more significant.

The Democratic campaign in New York is a hot number. The Parker leaders are making a second canvass of the State and the most telling blows are being made upon the Odell and Roosevelt administrations.

Friday's Washington Post contained this:

John Sharp Williams, the Democratic leader in the House, who has been making political speeches in Kentucky, was in Washington yesterday on his way to New York, where he will spend some time in consultation with the party leaders at national headquarters. Mr. Williams expects to speak in most of the doubtful States between now and election day.

Discussing the political outlook, Mr. Williams expressed the belief that both New York and West Virginia could be taken out of the doubtful column and placed in the list of States safely Democratic.

"I have not kept in touch with conditions in other States that have been looked upon as fighting ground" he said, "and would not like to undertake a prediction with respect to them, but I believe Parker and Davis will carry New York and West Virginia; in fact, I almost would be willing to say that I know those two States will cast their electoral votes for the Democratic nominees."

Mr. Williams refused to discuss the probabilities the next House being Democratic, taking the ground that he was not sufficiently informed to make a prediction worth the while.

THE NEGRO HAS A PROBLEM OF HIS OWN.

Says the Richmond Times-Dispatch of Tuesday:

"The Chattanooga Times expresses the opinion that 'the negro problem is becoming national, and is going to be more difficult of solution in the Northern and Western States than it is, ever has been or ever will be in the South.' It begins to look very much that way."

Judging from the remarks at a meeting of intelligent negroes recently held at Greenville, S. C., the negro has a problem of his own to handle. The speakers earnestly took up for discussion what the negro race could do to keep from losing all his white friends in America. It was pointed out by intelligent colored pastors that even in the North it is only necessary for the negro to settle there in order to make enemies of the whites among whom he lives. The meeting was interested in finding out what it is that the negro does to lose him the white man's friendship, and to set on foot plans for some course to be followed by the race to counteract the antagonism which is being aroused against the negro.

We do not know what action that meeting of well meaning South Carolina negroes took, but it was on the right track. The problem for the negro to solve is how to keep from making himself a problem wherever he settles, even in the North.

LOOKING FOR PARALLELS.

Says the Charlotte Chronicle:

Could a parallel be drawn between Port Arthur and Fort Sumter? It is hardly probable that the Russian fort can survive the storm of shot and shell that the defenders of Fort Sumter did. That fort was under a rain of iron for four years and the flag did not come down until the Confederacy had fallen and the Northern troops had the whole country at their mercy. The thought connecting the two, however, is that no one need expect Port Arthur to be taken in a day.

Our esteemed Charlotte contemporary could have said as much about Fort Fisher, on the Cape Fear, near Wilmington. The Confederates doggedly held it against all assaults up to within the last three months of the Confederacy.

CURRENT COMMENT.

—— Bettors say that the only sure thing about the election is that the next President will come from New York.—Baltimore Sun.

—— Some Republicans who fear the effect of the discussion of imperialism on the Fillipino may also be a little apprehensive as to its effect on the American voter.—Chicago News.

—— General Barry will please locate his negro artillerymen along the Massachusetts coast. That's the state that will be tickled to death to have them in omnipresent view.—Macon Telegraph.

—— Mr. Taggart's plan to have Mr. Cleveland and Mr. Bryan appear on the same platform was abandoned as soon as he found he was the only one of the three in favor of it.—Washington Post.

—— Campaign managers may insist that no money is being used in the election contest, but it is just as well to watch for an increase in bank clearings in the doubtful States.—Washington Post.

——Porto Rico's schools, which in the first year of American occupation had 25,000 pupils, now have 60,000, one sort of benevolent assimilation about which there can be no controversy.—Pittsburg Dispatch.

—— If the independent voters would show more interest in the nomination of candidates for office they would have less trouble in trying to defeat the poor timber selected by the machine bosses.—Washington Post.

——"Of course in foreign eyes there is only one Springfield in America, and that one in Massachusetts," says The Springfield Republican. Yet there is a Springfield that is the capital of a State territorially more than seven times as great as Massachusetts, and it should be famous as the resting placing of one of the world's greatest men, if for nothing else.—Boston Transcript.

Testimony of a Minister.

Rev. Jno. S. Cox, of Wake, Ark., writes: "For twelve years I suffered from yellow jaundice. I consulted a number of physicians and tried all sorts of medicines, but got no relief. Then I began the use of Electric Bitters, and feel that I am now cused of a disease that had me in its grasp for twelve years." If you want a reliable medicine for Liver and Kidney trouble, stomach disorder or general debility, get Electric Bitters. It is guaranteed by R. R. BELLAMY, druggist. Only 50c. †

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LIST OF LETTERS.

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WOMEN'S LIST.

Luvenia Allen, Salle Beavers, Carolina Benerman, Lucy Brown, Mamie Chadwick, Clara Cox, Lula Dary, Mrs. M. Earkirtt, Alice Fletcher, Bessie Hankins, Tilla Holton, Mary Jones, Rachel Jones, Julia McCabe, Laura Masy, Susie Pate, Blanch Richardson, Reb cker Renols, Minnie Russ, Annie Russell, Penny Smith, Sarah Smith, Mrs. A. C. Taylor, Mrs. Asa Walker, Laura E. Wiggins, Ada Wilson.

MEN'S LIST.

Atlantic Elec. Co., C. F. Austin, W. Bailey, W. Frank Booker, L. A. Cavanaugh, Rev. J. R. Coel, (2), C. P. Cooper, J. C. Currie, Charles Daugherty, W. J. Davis, Gibbs Mfg. Co., N. H. Green, John Hayward, Washington Howel, N. P. Hunt, Jno. Kines, Charles Leonard, Joseph Little, R. J. McCoy, Milton McFarland, Millard McKoy, Walter Mimms, R. H. Morris, J. Frank Morrison, B. C. Nelson, T. J. Page, Willie Parker, J. R. Poiner, Jas. Readman, Bennie Richardson, A. W. Rodges, Wm. Sargeant, Rev. W. M. Soakes, Charlie Stanford, William Tate, Rev. J. E. Underwood, Mrs. James Verner, W. N. Warren Harry Watson, Wiley Harker & Camp Co., Joe Young.

RETURNED FROM DEAD LETTER OFFICE.

J. J. Millis, Mrs. A. A. Weston, E. M. Wilson.

One cent due is charged on letters advertised.

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TWINKLINGS.

— "Say, pa?" "Well, what?" "Why does the man in the band run the trombone down his throat?" "I suppose it is because he has a taste for music."

— Nellie—"Bobby, do you believe that the devil will get us if we're naughty?" Bobby—"No; o'course not! We'll get the devil if we're found out, that's all."—Puck.

— Mother—What's that smacking noise in the parlor? Studious Boy (who goes to school)—It's sister and her young man exchanging microbes.—New York Weekly.

— "What," asked the old gentleman who was being shown through the prison, "is the most objectionable part of prison life?" "De visitors wot ask fool questions," answered the surly prisoner.—Chicago News.

— Campaign Manager—How about the floating vote in this neighborhood? Trusty Henchman—That's about equally divided, but I think Parker's got the swimming vote cinched, all right.—Chicago Tribune.

— Wife—Do you believe that marriage is lottery? Husband—No; I dont. Wife—Why not? Husband—Because when a man draws a blank in a lottery he can tear it up and take another chance.—Chicago News.

— "I want some live beets," said the young housewife. "Live beets!" echoed the groceryman. "Yes," she replied. "My husband says he has no use for dead ones."—Chicago Daily News.

— "But you have no ruins, no grand old piles, in the country" said the complaining foreigner. "Say, come back to the safe and let me show you my pile of steel common certificates."—Chicago Record-Herald.

— Mr. Younghubbe—Don't you think, my dear, that you are cooking twice as much as we shall need? Mrs. Younghubbe (artlessly)—I am doing it on purpose, darling. Tomorrow I want to try some of those "Hints for Housekeepers—How to Make Dainty Dishes from What was Left Over from Yesterday."—Boston Globe.

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SPIRITS TURPENTINE.

The Gastonia Gazette states that Mr. G. A. Gold, of Gaston county, picked 950 pounds of cotton in three days last week.

Greensboro Telegram: King Peter of Servia was crowned a few weeks ago. Sunday he was anointed. It will next be in order for him to be assassinated.

There are eleven divorce cases on the docket of the Supreme Court at Durham. Six of the plaintiffs were granted divorces, in one case the connubial knot having been served in ten minutes.

— The Raleigh and Pamlico Sound Railroad has completed its steel bridge over Crabtree Creek, near Raleigh. Crossties have been laid from the bridge to the junction on the main line of the S. A. L.

— Charlotte Observer: The Norfolk Virginian-Pilot says: "In some parts of North Carolina the political campaign furnishes a lovely example of artificial heat." Well, why not? There's no reason to get unduly excited over a contest that is already coming all your way.

— The Raleigh correspondent of the Charlotte Observer states that it is learned from the hail insurance agents that this year ten times as much much property has been destroyed by hail as was thus destroyed last year. In fact, it is said that the past summer was the worst ever known for hail storms in at least two-thirds of the State.

— Winston-Salem Sentinel: The provocation must have been extreme to cause Mr. Kitchin to strike a man for interrupting his speech, but if any Republican thinks that the Democratic candidate for Congress in the Fifth district does not come of a stock with plenty of moral and physical courage, the knowledge may be acquired by repeating the action of the Burlington individual.

— A Charlotte dispatch on Tuesday says: Sheriff Wallace this afternoon, aided by a small posse and a pack of bloodhounds, succeeded in capturing Clayton Little, the negro charged with the murder of John Thompson, whose decayed body was found in a cane brake in Derita township Sunday afternoon. Little admits the killing, but claims that Thompson was advancing on him with a knife when he shot him. The slayer was brought to Charlotte and lodged in jail here. Officers are looking for Little's brother, who is said to be implicated in the murder.

— A dispatch from Louisburg on Tuesday says: A negro by the name of Ed. Yarborough, under arrest for rape of a negro named Elizabeth Stallings, and while in charge of an officer on the way to jail on yesterday afternoon, escaped from the officer and is now at large. Chief of Police High, with the county bloodhounds and a number of men and boys, searched for him a long time but without avail. The trial took place before Dr. O. L. Ellis, a justice of the peace, on yesterday. The evidence was considered sufficiently strong to justify putting him in jail to await the next term of the Superior Court.

— Mr. Joel A. Leonard, of John's Mill, Rowan county, one of the most substantial farmers of his county, aged 50 years, died on last Sunday night. His death was peculiar in that it was caused by a cancer which developed last February, resulting from extracting a tooth. Until this time Mr. Leonard was in excellent health, and being very busy with his farm work, decided to pull his tooth himself in order to relieve an abscess, and thus save time which it would take to visit a dentist in Salisbury. The cavity caused by extracting the tooth never healed, but developed into a violent form of cancer, resulting in his death.

— A dispatch from Asheville on Tuesday says: Tom Clark, a negro about 19 years old, was placed in jail here this afternoon charged with criminally assaulting a little 4-year-old negro child. It is charged that the boy went to the home of the child's parents in Woolsey, a suburb of Asheville, while they were absent and carried the child into a wood shed. When the father returned, he heard the child's cries and caught the wretch. Will Lemmond, the father of the child, is a highly respectable darkey. The negro will be given a hearing to-morrow morning. In addition to the positive evidence of Lemmond, the negro boy has admitted his crime. He is badly frightened and now refuses to talk.

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COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET

(Quoted officially at the closing by the Chamber of Commerce.)

STAR OFFICE, October 12.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Nothing doing.

ROSIN—Market firm at $3.45 bid per barrel for good strained.

TAR—Market firm at $1.60 per barrel of 280 pounds.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Market firm at $2.30 per barrel for hard, $3.80 for dip, $3.80 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine nothing doing; rosin firm at $2.10; tar firm at $1.80; crude turpentine firm at $2.25@3.80.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine	25
Rosin	95
Tar	42
Crude turpentine	90

Receipts same day last year—65 casks spirits turpentine, 119 barrels rosin, 24 barrels tar, 105 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON.

Market nominal.

Same day last year, market firm at 9½c for middling.

Receipts—2,832 bales; same day last year, 1,617.

(Corrected Regularly by Wilmington Produce Commission Merchants, prices representing those paid for produce consigned to Commission Merchants.)

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

PEANUTS—North Carolina, firm. Prime, $1.30; extra prime, $1.35; fancy, $1.40, per bushel of twenty-eight pounds. Virginia—Prime, $1.05; extra prime, $1.07½; fancy, $1.10. Spanish, $1.10.

CORN—Firm; 60@65c per bushel for white.

N. C. BACON—Steady; hams 14@15c per pound; shoulders, 11c; sides, 12c.

EGGS—Dull at 18c per dozen.

CHICKENS—Firm. Grown, 30@35c; springs, 12½@25c.

BEESWAX—Firm at 26@27c.

TALLOW—Firm at 5½@6½c per pound.

SWEET POTATOES—Firm at 75@80c per bushel.

BEEF CATTLE—Dull at 2@3c per pound.

FINANCIAL MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Oct. 12.—Money on call steady at 1@2¼ per cent.; closing bid 1¾ per cent.; offered at 1¾ per cent.; time loans were steady; sixty days 3¼ @3½ per cent; ninety days 3¾@4 per cent.; six months 4 per cent. Prime mercantile paper 4¼@5 per ct. Sterling exchange firm, with actual business in bankers' bills 485.50@485.55 for demand and 483.25@483.30 for sixty day bills. Posted rates 484@484½ and 486½. Commercial bills were 482⅞@483. Bar silver 57½. Mexican dollars 45¾. U.S. refunding 2's, reg'd, 104¼; U.S. refunding 2's, coupon, ex int, 104⅝; U. S. 3's, reg'd, 104¼; do. coupon, 105¼; U. S. 4's, new, reg'd, 131⅝; U. S. 4's, new, coupon, 131⅝; U.S. 4's, old, reg'd, 106½; do. coupon, ex int, 106½; Atlantic Coast Line 4's, 98¼; Louisville & Nashville, unified 4's, 101¼; Norfolk & Western consol 4's —; Seaboard Air Line 4's 80¾; Southern Railway 5's, 117¼. Stocks: Baltimore & Ohio pref'd 93⅝; Chesapeake & Ohio 43¾; Manhattan L 156½; New York Central 131⅛; Reading 71⅝; do. 1st pref'd, 86¼; do. 2nd pref'd 78⅝; Southern Railway 33; do. pref'd 93⅝; Amalgamated Copper 62⅝; People's Gas 103¼; Tennessee Coal and Iron 50⅛; U. S. Leather 10⅛; U. S. Leather preferred, 89¼; Western Union 91½; U. S. Steel 18¾; do. preferred 76⅜; Mexican Central 14; Virginia Carolina Chemical, 33⅛; sales — shares; do. preferred, closed 106⅝; sales — shares. Standard Oil —.

BALTIMORE, MD., Oct. 12.—Seaboard Air Line, common, 16@16¼; do. preferred, 33⅛@34; do. bonds, fours, —; Atlantic Coast Line, common, 134¼ @135⅛; do. preferred —.

NAVAL STORES MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Oct. 12.—Rosin steady. Strained common to good $2 90. Spirits turpentine quiet at 55@55½c.

CHARLESTON, Oct. 12.—Spirits turpentine—Nothing doing; sales — casks. Rosin—Nothing doing; no quotations.

SAVANNAH, Oct. 12.—Spirits turpentine was firm at 52c; receipts 281 casks; sales 152 casks; exports — casks. Rosin was firm; receipts 1,174 barrels; sales 3,169 bbls; exports — barrels: A, B, C, $2 50; D, $1 55; E, $2 60; F, $2 67½; G, $2 70; H, $2 77½; I, $3 00; K, $3 65; M, $4 17½; N, $4 40; W G, $4 60; W W, $4 85.

COTTON MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

NEW YORK, Oct. 12.—The cotton market opened steady at a decline of five points in response to disappointing cables and good weather over the belt, but it seemed as though the continued private reports of a firm spot situation were restraining sales. There was very little cotton for sale during the early session and it took only a moderate buying movement after the initial loss to rally prices to a little over the closing figures of the previous night. This was forthcoming in the shape of purchases for the account of a leading German operator and by midday the market was selling about five to six points net higher.

At this level offerings increased. At the advance scalpers on the long side turned for moderate profits. This selling checked the upward movement and as the market hesitated, room bears started selling and in the afternoon the market ruled easier. Just before the close it steadied a point or two on covering, but was finally quiet and steady at a net decline of 6 to 8 points. Sales were reported of 250,000 bales, according to estimates.

NEW YORK, Oct. 12.—Cotton was quiet at 10.55c, net receipts — bales; gross receipts 1,831 bales; stock 61,161 bales.

Spot cotton closed quiet; middling uplands 10.55; middling gulf 10.80c; sales 528 bales.

Cotton futures market closed steady: October 10.03, November 10.06, December 10.15, January 10.20, February 10.24, March 10.28, April 10.30, May 10.39.

Total to-day, at all seaports—Net receipts 57,099 bales; exports to Great Britain 26,884 bales; exports to France 10,683 bales; exports to the Continent 4,609 bales; exports to Japan — bales; exports to Mexico — bales; stock 554,775 bales.

Consolidated, at all seaports—Net receipts 272,992 bales; exports to Great Britain 90,223 bales; exports to France 32,000 bales; exports to Continent 57,383 bales; exports to Japan 610 bales; exports to Mexico 50 bales.

Total since September 1st, at all seaports—Net receipts 1,746,239 bales; exports to Great Britain 650,023 bales; exports to France 139,994 bales; exports to the Continent 362,892 bales; exports to Japan 5,850 bales; exports to Mexico 2,995 bales.

Oct. 12.—Galveston, quiet at 10⅛c, net receipts 18,403 bales; Norfolk, nominal, net receipts 6,740 bales; Baltimore, nominal at 10.25, net receipts — bales; Boston, quiet at 10.55, net receipts — bales; Wilmington, nominal, net receipts 2,832 bales; Philadelphia, quiet at 10.80, net receipts — bales; Savannah, quiet at 9 15 16c, net receipts 9,573 bales; New Orleans, easy at 10⅛c, net receipts 16,843 bales; Mobile, steady at 10c, net receipts 1,878 bales; Memphis, quiet and steady at 10¼, net receipts 4,150 bales; Augusta, steady at 10c, net receipts 2,696 bales; Charleston, steady at 9 13-16c, net receipts 1,830 bales.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Oct. 12.—Flour was steady with a fair demand for winter. Rye flour firm. Wheat—Spot strong; No. 2 red $1 16⅝. Options closed firm at a net advance of 1⅛@2c; May closed $1 12⅝; December closed $1 14⅛. Corn—Spot strong; No. 2 57c. Options closed firm at ⅜@1⅛c net gain; May closed 52c; December 56⅛c. Oats—Spot steady; mixed, 26@32 lbs, 34@35. Peanuts dull; fancy hand-picked 5@5¼; other domestic 3@6⅛c. Cabbages dull; per barrel crate 50@75c. Freights to Liverpool—Cotton, by steamer, 16@17c. Potatoes—Market was quoted firm; Long Island, in bulk, per 180 lbs, $1 50 @2 00; Jersey and Southern $1 35@1 50; Jersey sweets $1 00@1 50. Butter steady; creamery, common to extra 13@20c; State dairy, common to extra 13@19c. Cheese firm; State, full cream, small colored fancy 10⅛c; large white fancy 9⅛c. Eggs firm; Western graded, finest 22½@23c; do. average best 21@23c. Rice steady. Lard weak; Western steam $7 80; October closed $7 80, nominal; refined weak; continent $8 00. Molasses steady. Sugar—Raw quiet; fair refining 3⅝c; centrifugal, 96 test, 4⅛c; molasses sugar 3⅜c; refined quiet. Rice steady. Cotton seed oil was weak in sympathy with lard products and under liquidation: Prime crude, f. o. b. mills 22@22½c; prime summer yellow 28¼@28½; off summer yellow nominal; prime white 33c; prime winter yellow 33c.

NEW YORK COFFEE FUTURES.

NEW YORK, Oct. 12.—Coffee—Spot Rio steady; No. 7 invoice 8⅜c; mild quiet; Cordova 10@13c. The market for coffee futures opened steady at a decline of 5 points. The market after the opening showed a steady undertone with final prices net unchanged to 5 points lower. Sales 47,500 bags.

CHICAGO, Oct. 12.—Curtailment of receipts in the Southwest was the main cause of a strong market here to-day in wheat. Both December and May closed with a gain of 1½c. Corn is up 1½c. Oats are up a shade. Provisions are off 15 to 32½c.

CHICAGO, Oct. 12.—Cash prices: Flour steady. Wheat—No.2 spring $1 10 @1 16; No.3 spring $1 05@1 12½; No.2 red $1 11@1 13. Corn—No. 2 51⅛; No. 2 yellow 54½. Oats—No. 2 29⅛c; No. 2 white 31½c; No. 3 white 29⅛@30⅛c. Rye—No. 2 78c. Mess pork, per bbl., $11 00@11 05. Lard, per 100 lbs, quoted $7 22½@7 25. Short rib sides, loose, $7 37½@7 50. Dry salted shoulders, boxed, no market report. Short clear sides, boxed, $8 25@8 50. Whiskey—Basis of high wines, $1 26½.

The leading futures ranged as follows—opening, highest, lowest and closing: Wheat—No. 2 October $1 08⅝; December $1 09@1 09⅛, 1 09¼, 1 10⅛, 1 08⅝, 1 10⅝; May $1 09⅛@1 09¼, 1 11, 1 09@1 09⅛, 1 10⅞c. Corn—October 51⅜, 51⅝, 51⅛, 51⅞; December 48¼@48⅛, 49⅛, 48⅛, 49⅛@49⅛c; May 45⅞@46⅛, 46⅛, 45⅝@45⅛, 46⅛c. Oats—No. 2 October 29⅛c; December 29⅛, 29⅛, 28⅝, 29⅛, 29⅛; May 31⅛@31⅝, 31⅝, 30⅞, 31⅜. Mess pork, per bbl—October $11 05, 11 05, 10 95, 10 95; December $11 15, 11 15, 10 95, 11 05; January $12 57½, 12 60, 12 30, 12 42½; May $12 50, 12 50, 12 32½, 12 40. Lard, per 100 lbs—October $7 30, 7 32½, 7 15, 7 22½; December $7 17½, 7 17½, 7 12½, 7 17½; January $7 32½, 7 35, 7 15, 7 22½; May $7 32½, 7 32½, 7 17½, 7 25. Short ribs, per 100 lbs—October $7 15, 7 25, 7 15, 7 20; January $6 60, 6 60, 6 40, 6 50; May $6 60, 6 60, 6 50, 6 57½.

FOREIGN MARKETS.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

LIVERPOOL, October 12.—Cotton: Spot in fair demand, prices two points lower to six points higher; American middling fair 5.94d; good middling 5.78d; middling 5.66d; low middling 5.46d; good ordinary 5.24d; ordinary 5.00d. The sales of the day were 8,000 bales, of which 300 bales were for speculation and export and included 7,300 bales American. Receipts 1,000 bales, no American.

Futures opened easier and closed steady; American middling (g o c): October 5.50d; October and November 5.48d; November and December 5.48d; December and January 5.48d; January and February 5.48d; February and March 5.49d; March and April 5.50d; April and May 5.51d; May and June 5.52d.

MARINE.

ARRIVED.

Stmr City of Fayetteville, Robeson, Fayetteville, Jno S McEachern.

CLEARED.

Stmr City of Fayetteville, Robeson, Fayetteville, Jno S McEachern.

British schooner Tyree, Ross, Port-au-Spain, Trinidad, C D Maffitt.

British steamer Falks, Merrifield, Bremen, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Clyde steamer Navahoe, Bunnell, Georgetown, S C, H G Smallbones.

Italian steamer Guiseppe Corvaja, Battone, Havre, France, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

EXPORTS.

FOREIGN.

HAVRE, FRANCE—Italian steamer Guiseppe Corvaja, 3,662 bales cotton, valued at $201,300; cargo and vessel by Alexander Sprunt & Son.

BREMEN—British steamer Falks, 5,075 bales cotton, 2,501,421 pounds, valued at $268,900; cargo and vessel by Alexander Sprunt & Son.

PORT-AU-SPAIN, TRINIDAD—British schooner Tyree, 67,746 feet rough lumber and 310,898 feet dressed lumber, valued at $5,732.95; cargo by Cape Fear Lumber Co; vessel by C D Maffitt.

MARINE DIRECTORY

List of Vessels in the Port of Wilmington, N. C., October 13.

STEAMERS.

Vera, (Br) 1,854 tons, Bennett, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Huelva (Br), 1,691 tons, Harvey, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Ras Dara (Br), 2,495 tons, McCambridge, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Tolosa, (Br) 2,099 tons, Holttum, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

SCHOONERS.

Edith H Symington, 881 tons, Stiles, C D Maffitt.

Bayard Hopkins, 312 tons, Thorkerson, C D Maffitt.

Pasadina, 501 tons, Nugent, C D Maffitt.

Special Reduced Rates via Seaboard Air Line Railway.

RALEIGH, N. C.—Account State Agricultural Fair, Oct. 17th to 22nd, for round trip, including one admission to the Fair grounds, $4.80. Tickets on sale Oct 14th to 21st, inclusive.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

C. C. Railroad—268 bales cotton, 5 casks spirits turpentine, 21 barrels rosin, 23 barrels tar, 3 barrels crude turpentine.

W. & W. Railroad—879 bales cotton, 21 barrels crude turpentine.

W. C. & A. Railroad—1,085 bales cotton, 11 barrels tar, 15 barrels crude turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—470 bales cotton, 9 casks spirits turpentine, 33 barrels rosin, 4 barrels tar.

W. & N. Railroad—65 bales cotton, 3 casks spirits turpentine, 10 barrels crude turpentine.

Steamer Franklin Pierc—4 bales cotton, 1 cask spirits turpentine 41 barrels rosin.

Steamer Sanders—47 bales cotton.

Steamer Tar Heel—67 bales cotton; 7 casks spirits turpentine; 4 barrels tar, 41 barrels crude turpentine.

Schooner J. D. Pigott—2 bales cotton.

Total—2,832 bales cotton, 25 casks spirits turpentine, 95 barrels rosin, 42 barrels tar, 90 barrels crude turpentine.

Broke Into His House.

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S. W SANDERS.

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Beautiful Gibson Picture is given away with each pound package.

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126 South Front St.

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REPORT

OF THE CONDITION OF THE ATLANTIC Trust & Banking Co., at Wilmington, N. C., at the close of business, September 6th, 1904. Began business September 1902.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$ 428,158 55
Furniture and fixtures	$100 00	100 00
Demand loans		47,550 00
Due from banks and bankers		22,554 32
Cash items		6,361 28
Gold coin		75 00
Silver coin, including all minor coin currency		379 17
National bank notes and other U. S. notes		781 00
Total		$505,959 32

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 50,000 00
Undividedprofits, less current expenses and taxes paid	13 127 61
Dividends unpaid	15 00
Deposits subject to check	405,400 26
Demand certificates of deposit	33,738 00
Cashier's checks out standing	3,578 15
Certified checks	100 00
Total	$505,959 35

State of North Carolina, county of New Hanover, ss:

I, Milton Calder, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

MILTON CALDER, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 12th day of September, 1904.

S. M. BOATWRIGHT, Notary Public.

CORRECT—Attest:
L. B. ROGERS,
JOHN H. KUCK,
ROBERT R. BELLAMY, } Directors.

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REPORT

OF THE CONDITION OF THE WILMINGTON Savings & Trust Company, at Wilmington, State of North Carolina, at the close of business September 6th, 1904.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	$947,804 58
Stocks, bonds and mortgages	5,500 00
Furniture and fixtures	2 00
All other real estate owned	1,250 00
Demand loans	62,373 00
Due from banks and bankers	142,669 31
Cash items	47 51
Gold coin	10 06
Silver coin, including all minor coin currency	73 44
National Bank notes and other U. S. notes	2,289 00
Total	$1,162,019 34

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		$25,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid		81,496 75
Times certificates of deposit	$ 46 908 75	
Deposits subject to check	1,008,613 84	1,055,522 59
Total		$1,162,019 34

State of North Carolina, New Hanover County, ss:

I, C. E. Taylor, Jr., Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

C. E. TAYLOR, Jr., Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 12th day of September, 1904.

CHAS. S. GRAINGER, Notary Public.

CORRECT—Attest:
J. V. GRAINGER,
J. W. YATES,
D. O'CONNOR, } Directors

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Will sell round trip tickets from Wilmington at the above low rate, which includes one admission to Fair Grounds.

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The campaign book begins its discussion of the tariff question by showing the necessity for increasing tariff, or artificial protection, as "natural protection," or the cost of transporting goods from one country to another decreases. It says that:

"The nations of the world have one by one found it necessary to establish tariff protection to take the place of that protection which distance and high cost of transportation formerly afforded."

This demonstrates that in the minds of the "stand-patters" the tariff is the enemy of science and progress and that it is a great mistake to cheapen the cost of transportation. And yet these same Republicans boast of the fact that they have authorized an expenditure of from $200,000,000 to $400,000,000 to construct the Panama Canal. Why? Is it simply to furnish them with another excuse for jacking the tariff up several points? Why spend money to shorten water routes and cheapen transportation costs, if we must proceed promptly to offset these benefits by higher tariff duties?

These "stand-patters" belong to the old school of extreme protectionists who wished that the oceans were walls of fire and who were sorry that each country was not separated from every other country by impassable barriers. They show their inconsistency and lack of faith in their own theories by printing pages of statistics in their campaign book to show the wonderful growth of our foreign commerce under and in spite of Dingleyism.

MILLIONS FOR PHILIPPINES.

Exclusive of soldiers, sailors, and civil officials, there are probably less than 300 Americans in the Philippines and not all of these are to be considered as permanent residents. And yet the Administration has decided to spend millions of dollars in making Manila "A City Beautiful," and additional millions in creating a summer capital in the mountains 100 miles north of Manila, to which the overworked office-holders may retire during the fever-breeding season, which one returning soldier facetiously says "takes in the whole year."

Manila is to be made "The Gem City of the Orient," while the summer loafing place is to be more magnificent than Simla in India, in fact, than any similar retreat in the world. A Chicago architect has been given carte blanche to prepare plans and specifications, and he is about to set sail for a five-months sojourn in the islands. The plan seems to be to give European "imperialists" the grand razzle-dazzle, without regard to cost. And the American people will be called upon to foot the bill.

How do they like the prospect?

ROOSEVELT AND NAPOLEON.

Hon. Edward M. Shepard in a speech made August 31, at Bennington, Vt., aroused a great deal of enthusiasm. After quoting from ex-Gov. Black's eulogy of Theodore Roosevelt, he said:

"Was not Gov. Black right? For did he not speak of a President who has declared his contempt for 'that mock humanitarianism' which would prevent the great liberty-loving nations of the world from going to war, who despises, as he himself has told us, the 'cloistered virtue' which dare not go down into 'the hurly-burly where the men of might contend?'

"Was he not speaking of a President who, in a hundred speeches, has talked of the 'craven' and the 'weakling' and the 'coward who babbles of peace,' who has preached the 'just man armed' as his dearest gospel, who would have a great army, although, as he said, 'we do not need it in the least for police purposes at home,' but because we need to use it abroad; who, three years before our marauding venture at Panama, declared that 'we must build the Isthmian canal' and must grasp the points 'of vantage,' meaning that we must violate the territory of another nation; who has talked in season and out of season of the 'cant about liberty' and the 'consent of the governed,' who, speaking as the Chief Magistrate of a republic of law and order and peace, which in its men and resources is the most powerful of nations, declared that its maxim should be, 'Speak softly and carry a big stick,' and who has of late in plain terms threatened our neighbors at the South that unless—in their relations not with the United States but with others, for whom we are in no way called upon to act—they 'acted with decency in industrial and political matters,' unless they 'kept order and paid their obligation,' unless the 'governed themselves well,' they might expect our forcible intervention?

"Where is the parallel for utterances like these by the ruler of a great country since Moscow and Waterloo brought to an end the insolent addresses of the first Napoleon to the monarchs of Europe and the terrified envoys at his court?"

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"Our little daughter had an almost fatal attack of whooping cough and bronchitis," writes Mrs. W. K. Haviland, of Armonk, N. Y.; "but, when all other remedies failed, we saved her life with Dr. King's New Discovery. Our niece, who had consumption in an advanced stage, also used this wonderful medicine and to-day she is perfectly well." Desperate throat and lung diseases yield to Dr. King's New Discovery as to no other medicine on earth. Infallible for Coughs and Colds. 50c and $1.00 bottles guaranteed by R. R. BELLAMY, druggist. Trial bottles free.

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The Sanitation of Ant Cities.

Insects are scrupulously clean in their personal toilet and often brush, comb and wash themselves, a service for which they are admirably provided with natural implements. This habit is transferred to communal affairs. The streets within the city bounds and the gates and external plaza and "country roads" leading into the foraging fields, as with agricultural ants, are kept free from filth and obstructions that might gather filth. The constant washings and combings of baby ants by the nurses would satisfy the most fastidious maternal taste. One may not say that sanitation is an exact emmetonian science, but it certainly is an art thoroughly practiced in every department of the formicary and brought to perfection as far as natural conditions will permit. Every insect citizen takes part in this service. All ants unite to keep their civic precincts clean.—H. C. McCook in Harper's Magazine.

A Beautiful Art.

Without disparagement of any of the other arts, to attain proficiency in which people make such long and valiant struggles, it may be truly said that the one art of smiling warms more hearts than all others together. Most children—in fact, all happy children—have an unconscious mastery of this beautiful art, but unfortunately they often lose it as they grow older. Children are the best judges of smiles in the world. "Her lips smile," said a child, speaking of a hard faced woman, "but she doesn't." A widening of the mouth in a vain endeavor to look pleasant is not a smile. It deceives nobody. A smile, to be worthy of the name, must come from the heart. It is the result of an honest willingness and readiness to be pleased with little as well as great things.

Antwerp Milk Woman.

There is no more picturesque figure in quaint old Antwerp than the milk women. For many years the milk of the city has been served to the houses by these women, whose customs and even costumes have remained unchanged. The milk women wear a simple dress, almost completely covered with a voluminous white apron. A quaint white headdress completes the uniform. Scores of these picturesque figures are to be seen throughout Antwerp in the morning hours. The milk is either carried in two large buckets, hung from a yoke running across the shoulders, or in little carts drawn by dogs.

Eating at Night.

Every living bird and beast strives its utmost to cram itself with food before retiring for the night, and this food is digested as the night progresses. The evening feed is the feed of the day with the brute creation, and yet doctors tell us to refrain from eating heartily at night and even advise us to retire to rest with a more or less empty stomach. Are we following nature when following this advice?—Country Gentleman.

How the Chinese Beat Time.

A Chinese child is considered a year old at its birth, and its age is reckoned not from its birthdays, but from its New Year's days. If it is fortunate enough to be born on Feb. 1, the day before the Chinese New Year's day, it is said to be two years old when it is two days old. It is one year old when born, and another year is added on its first New Year's day.

The Korean Wife.

In Korea the rooms of a wife or mother are the sanctuary of any man who breaks the law. Unless for treason or for one other crime he cannot be forced to leave those rooms, and so long as he remains under the protection of his wife's apartments he is secure from the officers of the law.

Bound to Be Comfortable.

An author who had been jailed for debt wrote to his wife: "Do me the favor to send me my Shakespeare, my nightgown and slippers, my pipe and all letters asking for autographs and containing stamps. I want to be comfortable and at peace with the world."—Atlanta Constitution.

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Kill the germ that causes dandruff, falling hair and baldness, you will have no more dandruff, and your hair must grow luxuriantly. Newbro's Herpicide not only contains the dandruff germ destroyer, but it is also a most delightful hair dressing for regular toilet use. No other hair preparation is on this scientific basis of destroying the dandruff germs. It stops all irritation, keeps the scalp sweet, pure and wholesome. Remember that something claimed to be "just as good," will not do the work of genuine Herpicide. Sold by leading druggists. Send 10c. in stamps for sample to The Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich.

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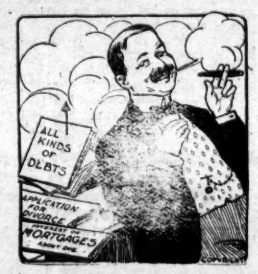

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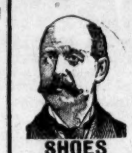

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Leave Front and Princess.	Leave Ocean View.
6 00 A. M.	6 40 A. M.
7 20 "	8 03 A. M.
10 00 "	11 00 "
1 00 P. M.	2 00 P. M.
3 00 "	4 00 "
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SUNDAY SCHEDULE.

8 00 A. M.	9 00 A. M.
9 00 "	10 00 P. M.
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(Daily except Sunday)

Leave Wilmington	Leave Ocean View.
4 00 P. M.	5 00 P. M

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NORTHBOUND.

	No 48	No 42
Lv Wilmington	9 15 a m	6 50 p m
Ar Goldsboro	12 58 p m	9 32 p m
Ar Wilson	1 16 p m	10 25 p m
Ar Rocky Mount	1 55 p m	11 10 p m
Ar Norfolk	6 55 p m	.....
Ar Weldon	4 58 p m	1 47 a m
Ar Petersburg	6 55 p m	3 23 a m
Ar Richmond	7 45 p m	4 07 a m
Ar Washington	11 50 p m	7 54 a m
Ar Baltimore	1 43 a m	9 09 a m
Ar Philadelphia	4 25 a m	11 22 a m
Ar New York	7 30 a m	2 00 p m

SOUTHBOUND.

	No 41	No 49
Lv New York	9 25 a m	9 25 p m
Ar Philadelphia	11 55 a m	12 01 a m
Ar Baltimore	2 07 p m	2 32 a m
Ar Washington	3 21 p m	3 45 a m
Ar Norfolk	.....	9 00 a m
Ar Richmond	7 15 p m	8 33 a m
Ar Petersburg	8 06 p m	9 45 a m
Ar Weldon	9 51 p m	11 50 a m
Ar Rocky Mount	10 51 p m	1 15 p m
Ar Wilson	11 32 p m	2 00 p m
Ar Goldsboro	6 48 a m	3 10 p m
Ar Wilmington	10 10 a m	6 00 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND THE SOUTH

SOUTHBOUND

	Daily.	Daily.	Daily
Lv Wilmington	6 00 a m	3 30 p m	6 50 p m
Ar Florence	9 35 a m	7 30 p m	3 55 a m
Ar Charleston	1 10 p m	11 35 p m	6 48 a m
Ar Savannah	6 45 p m	2 50 a m	9 02 a m
Ar Jacksonville	.....	6 40 a m	1 45 p m
Ar Tampa	.....	7 25 p m	10 35 p m

NORTHBOUND.

	Daily.	Daily
Lv Tampa	8 05 p m	7 10 a m
Ar Jacksonville	8 00 a m	4 50 p m
Ar Savannah	1 10 p m	1 15 a m
Ar Charleston	8 14 p m	6 55 a m
Ar Florence	7 50 p m	9 25 a m
Ar Wilmington	11 35 p m	1 40 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND SANFORD

	West Bound Daily	East Bound Daily
Lv Wilmington	9 10 a m	Ar 3 00 p m
Ar Fayetteville	12 20 p m	Ar 6 05 p m
Ar Sanford	1 55 p m	Lv 3 40 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND NEWBERN

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Lv Wilmington	2 25 p m	Ar 12 30 p m
Ar Newbern	5 40 p m	Lv 9 00 a m

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No. 40 arrives Wilmington daily 12:45 P. M., connects at Hamlet with all trains from North and South.

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Time Table No. 11

To Take Effect Thursday, Sept. 8, 1904, at 10.19 A. M.

GOING EAST. 3 Passg'r Trains Arrive	GOING EAST. 3 Passg'r Trains Leave	STATIONS.	GOING WEST. 4 Passg'r Trains Arrive	GOING WEST. 4 Passg'r Trains Leave
P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.
.....	3 30	Goldsboro	11 06	.....
.....	4 22	Kinston	10 12	.....
5 40	5 50	Newbern	8 27	9 00
7 15	7 07	Morehead City		6 55
P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.

Train 4 connects with W. & W train bound North, leaving Goldsboro at 11.25 A. M., and with Southern Railway train West, leaving Goldsboro 2.00 P. M., and with W. & N. at Newbern for Wilmington and intermediate points.

Train 3 connects with Southern Railway train arriving at Goldsboro 3.00 P. M., and with W. & W. train from the North at 3.05 P. M. No. 1 train also connects with W. & N. for Wilmington and intermediate points.

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THURSDAY MORNING, OCT. 13.

WINTER MANŒUVRES OF U. S. WARSHIPS.

Admiral Dewey Will Probably Assume Command of Combined Fleet When Assembled in Caribbean Sea.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 12.—Admiral Dewey has again offered to assume command of the combined fleet in the Caribbean sea and direct the winter manoeuvers. If his services can be spared from the presidency of the general board at that time Secretary Morton will accept the admiral's offer. It is probable the admiral will leave in the Mayflower early in the new year and assume command of the fleet at Guantanamo.

Early in December, after docking his ships for the purpose of having their bottoms cleaned, Rear Admiral Jewell, commanding the European squadron, will start for the Caribbean. He will be joined off Culebra about December 15th, by Rear Admiral Chadwick with the South Atlantic squadron, and by Rear Admiral Sigsbee with the Caribbean squadron. The ships of the three squadrons then will disperse among the various West Indian ports to give the men shore liberty during the holidays. Orders have gone from the department that the liberality of shore leave is to be materially increased and the programme is being mapped out with this in view

In the last days of December the battleship squadron of the North Atlantic fleet, consisting of the flagship Kearsarge, the Alabama, Illinois, Iowa, Maine, Massachusetts, Kentucky and Missouri, will arrive off Hampton Roads, spick and span from the navy yards, in command of Rear Admiral A. S. Barker, the second squadron commanded by Rear Admiral Charles S. Davis. The present plan is for Admiral Dewey and Secretary Morton to go from Washington on the Mayflower and review the fleet off Hampton Roads. The fleet will get under way about January 3d, arriving at Guantanamo between January 8th and January 10th. Admiral Dewey will then assume command of the combined fleet and the Winter manœuvres will begin.

From the Caribbean the ships will come north for target practice, which will occur either at Pensacola or near Key West. Every precaution will be taken against the recurrence of such an accident as occurred off Pensacola last year at the time when an explosion on the Missouri caused considerable loss of life. All of the ships by that time will be fitted with blowers which will make blow-backs practically impossible.

DEMOCRATIC HEADQUARTERS.

Carter Harrison Confers With Judge Parker on the Political Situation in Illinois, Wisconsin and Indiana.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Oct. 12.—Carter H. Harrison, mayor of Chicago, conferred today with Judge Parker concerning political affairs in Illinois, Wisconsin and Indiana.

Mayor Harrison's visit lasted two hours or more. He will return to Chicago to-morrow. When Mayor Harrison left the apartments of Judge Parker he said to the Associated Press: "I came to deliver the electoral votes of Illinois, Wisconsin and Indiana." Afterwards he said, if that was not a big enough contract, he might include the vote of Iowa.

Speaking of the political poll made by the Democrats in Illinois, he asserted that it had been thorough outside of Iowa county, but that Chicago showed largely Democratic.

Acknowledging his defeat by the Democratic faction led by former Mayor John P. Hopkins, of Chicago, Mayor Harrison declared there are no opposing factions in the party in Illinois now and that "the Democrats are united against the common foe."

Judge Parker saw many persons today and in the evening received a large number of New York county committeemen, who were in conference to day with the State committee. The candidate's callers to-day included Senator Gorman, of Maryland; DeLancey Nicoll, vice chairman of the national committee; Charles V. Fornes, president of the board of aldermen, and Hillary A. Herbert, secretary of the navy under former President Cleveland.

Judge Parker intends to return to Esopus at 2:45 P. M. to-morrow and come to New York again on Monday next.

RECEIVER APPOINTED

For the Commonwealth Tobacco Company. Its Liabilities $772,000.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

TRENTON, N. J., Oct. 12.—Vice Chancellor Emery, in papers filed here to-day, has appointed Jerome Taylor temporary receiver for the Commonwealth Tobacco Co. A rule for cause to be shown why the receiver should not be made permament is returnable in Newark on November 9. Taylor is required to give bond in the sum of $150,000. The receiver is appointed on application of George P. Butler, who owns $267,000 worth of bonds of the company and to whom it is claimed the company is indebted to the extent of $50,000 on demand notes. The liabilities of the company are given at $772,000, consisting principally of outstanding demand notes. The assets are estimated at $75,000.

COTTON BOLL WEEVIL.

Department of Agriculture Issues Warning to Planters in the South.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 12.—The Department of Agriculture, in a circular issued to day, warns planters throughout the cotton belt that in their efforts to procure an early crop of cotton, to avoid damage by boll weevils they must not overlook the great prime factor in the control of the pest, the destruction of the stalks in the early autumn. This destruction of the plants in the field is stamped as the most effective method of reducing the numbers of the weevil. The circular calls for concerted action of communities in taking these steps.

A Love Letter

Would not interest you if you were looking for a guaranteed Salve for Sores, Burns or Piles. Otto Dodd, of Ponder, Mo., writes: "I suffered with an ugly sore for a year, but a box of Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured me. It is the best Salve on earth." 25c at R. H. BELLAMY'S drug store †

STUBBORN FIGHT STILL IN PROGRESS.

A General Japanese Advance Along a Broad Front Toward Mukden Progressing.

THIRD DAY OF ENGAGEMENT.

Japanese Report That Russian Attack Was Repulsed—The Losses on Both Sides Heavy—Fighting at Port Arthur—Ship Damaged.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

General Kuropatkin's advance has been met with a counter advance of the forces under Field Marshal Oyama. According to advices received at Tokio a general engagement is in progress between Liao Yang and Mukden; but reports from Russian sources describe the fighting there as merely in the nature of advance guard actions. Kuropatkin is reported to be aiming to strike simultaneously at two widely separated points on the Japanese left. There has been hard fighting a short distance north of Bensihu, in which a loss of 150 in killed or wounded is admitted. The Japanese claim to have cut off a Russian column south of the Taitse river. No official reports from the front were received by the Russian war office last night and the fact is regarded in some quarters as indicating the non-success thus far of General Kuropatkin's forward movement. Military authorities, however, point out that owing to the magnitude of the movement planned it is too early to expect news of decisive results.

Desperate Fighting.

ST. PETERSBURG, Oct. 12.—General Sakharoff, telegraphing yesterday evening, confirms the reports of desperate fighting north of Yen tai, where the heights were alternately held by the Russians and Japanese.

General Danieloff, who succeeded Generals Trousseff and Romanoff in command of the Sixth Siberian rifle division, was wounded in the leg but did not relinquish his command.

The losses are not stated and according to the latest advices the battle is continuing to day.

Situation at Port Arthur

CHE FOO, Oct. 12, 7 P. M.—Japanese who arrived here to-day from Port Dalney report that additional heavy guns are now dropping shells into the harbor of Port Arthur. One shell recently severely damaged the Russian battleship Retvizan.

The repulse from High Hill, the Japanese say, was the only reverse which the Japanese before Port Arthur have suffered. On the other hand, the Japanese have destroyed two redoubts which gave the Russians a flanking fire from Rihilung mountain against their assailants, and the Japanese remain in six other captured fortifications south of Shushiying, which were mentioned in these dispatches September 25th. The Japanese consider the progress they have made is satisfactory.

Battle Continues.

MUKDEN, Oct. 12, 2:40 P. M.—Stubborn fighting is still in progress, this being the third day of the engagement. It is impossible at this time to say what has been accomplished.

Hospital trains are continually arriving from the south. The wounded are being sent further north. A dressing station has been established on the railway platform here where nurses and surgeons give prompt attention to the most urgent cases before the trains proceed.

TOKIO, Oct. 12, 8 P. M.—A battle south of Mukden raged uninterruptedly all of Tuesday and into the night, it being continued to-day. The results have not been decisive.

The Russians have a heavy force on the Japanese right toward the Taitse river, but it is believed that the Japanese have checked the Russian turning movement.

A General Engagement.

TOKIO, Oct. 12.—General activity has been resumed in the theatre of war. It is believed here that a general engagement is progressing between Liao Yang and Mukden.

Field Marshal Oyama has met General Kuropatkin's advance with a general advance of the main strength of his force along a broad front. The opposing forces were in touch yesterday and it is believed that a great battle on the Hun river is inevitable. The Russians are attempting to strike the Japanese right at two points widely separated.

A considerable force of Russians which was sent across the Taitse river, 35 miles east of Liao Yang, has apparently been isolated by the Japanese, and the report of its defeat or capture is expected.

Japanese Reports.

TOKIO, Oct. 12.—Field Marshal Oyama reports that there was fighting along almost the entire front from Oct. 10th, the Japanese gaining ground, and the Russian attack on Sienchuang was repulsed.

TOKIO, Oct. 12, 3:30 P. M.—A general Japanese advance along a broad front towards Mukden is progressing.

A brigade of Russian infantry, with 2,000 cavalry and two guns, having the object of striking General Kuroki's flank, crossed the Taitse river Oct. 9th. The Japanese cut off the retreat of this force and possibly will capture it.

The Russians are attacking Sienchuang, 30 miles northeast of Saimaize, (southeast of Liao Yang and also due north of Fengwang Cheng) evidently with the object of cutting off Japanese communications with the Yalu river.

St. Petersburg Anxious.

ST. PETERSBURG, Oct. 12, 8:30 P. M.—It is now midnight on the battlefield below Mukden and the failure to receive news that the Russians achieved decisive results in to-day's fight north of Yentai, coupled with the Tokio report that Field Marshal Oyama is gaining ground, causes increased apprehension.

The dispatch of the Associated Press from Tokio was the first positive information that Russian troops in any force were already across the Taitse river, although it was already known here that some cavalry had passed over the river, but the report that another column was attempting to cut the Japanese line of communication with the Yalu river did not come as a surprise, as it was known, although not revealed for strategic reasons, that wide turning operations were proceeding on the Russian extreme left, screened by the column operating against Shanpintaidze.

British Steamer Captured.

TOKIO, Oct. 12, 5 P. M.—The British steamer Fu Ping, belonging to the Chinese Engineering and Mining Company, carrying munitions of war, was captured by the Japanese off Port Arthur to day.

Russian View of Situation.

HEADQUARTERS OF THE RUSSIAN WESTERN ARMY, MUKDEN, Oct. 11, VIA PEKIN, Oct. 12.—Russian dragoons have captured a copy of a message from the Emperor of Japan to his troops in which the Mikado says he is still awaiting the decisive defeat of the Russians. It is apparent from this intelligence that the Japanese are equally preparing for important events.

There have been daily engagements between the advancing guards along the entire line of thirty miles. The Japanese appear to be apprehensive of a cutting off movement, owing to the fact that the Russian cavalry are so active and owing to the presence of Russian forces yesterday in the old positions and fortifications at Benshai. They have therefore fallen back. The strong position at the Yental coal mines, which has been the cause of apprehension to the Russians, was vacated by the Japanese October 9th, though they are throwing up earthworks toward the west, where the superiority of the Russian cavalry will require superior defences. The Japanese have about one hundred guns at the railway bridge across the Taitse river, rendering hazardous a Russian attack there.

The preliminary line of battle, after the two armies have reinforced and re-fortified for a month, as determined by the Japanese stronghold of the railroad bridge and the Liao Yang defences, to-day runs southeast to northwest from the hills opposite Bensihu to Yental and thence to Tousanpu, ten miles west of the railway, where for three days the battle line has been wavering. The correspondent of the Associated Press witnessed the Russians take and retake Tousanpu and saw the Japanese burning their bridge over the Shakhe river on their last retirement of October 9th. The Japanese were reinforced and renewed the attack October 10th with two battalions and two guns, forcing the line back on the Russian right, without, however, achieving any important result.

The Japanese cannonading yesterday was for the purpose of disclosing the Russian position, but it was apparently without result except as showing that the Japanese are disposed freely to make battle within ten miles of the railway.

The heaviness and regularity of the cannonade since five o'clock this morning in the hills indicate that greater fighting is in progress.

CONTINUED DEBATE ON THE DIVORCE QUESTION.

Matter Not Disposed of at Yesterday's Session of Episcopal General Convention—Resumed To-day

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

BOSTON, MASS., Oct. 12.—A marked division of sentiment regarding the proposal to prevent the re-marriage of the innocent party to a divorce, during the life of the former partner, developed at to-day's session of the House of Deputies of the Episcopal General Convention. The house, sitting as a committee of the whole, discussed the issue all day and many vehement addresses were made by both sides.

Several prominent delegates expressed the opinion that in view of the difference of opinion the present convention would not act on the matter, but would, like its predecessor, refer the problem to the next triennial convention.

A commotion was caused by John C. Buxton, of Winston, N. C., who attempted to link the divorce evil with the liquor question. Mr. Buxton is the deputy who, on the opening day of the convention, attempted to read a resolution condemning Bishop Henry C. Potter, of New York, for opening the Subway saloon. In his remarks to-day he expressed the opinion it would be better for the church to curb the liquor traffic before changing the canons on marriage. Continuing, he was saying, "If instead of a high official of the church lending his influence to the dedication of saloons," when he was interrupted by a point of order. Mr. Buxton was admonished by the chairman. Still he attempted to make some further reference indirectly to the Subway tavern, but was promptly called to order by the chairman. The time of the morning session expired before Mr. Buxton could continue.

James McConnell, of New Orleans, opposed the adoption of the new canon, in a dramatic speech. "In God's name," he declared, "How can a church legislate to take away the protection of the innocent. What right has any one to change the meanings of the words in St. Matthew's gospel? Where is the man to explain away the written word of the Son of God himself?"

Rev. J. T. Beard, of Birmingham, Ala., was opposed to the adoption of the proposed canon by the church.

The debate was put over until to-morrow.

The House of Bishops to-day presented the Archbishop of Canterbury with a silver loving cup. The bishop primate will leave the city for New York to-morrow and will sail for England on Friday.

The resignation of Bishop Thomas A. Jaggar, of Southern Ohio, was received and accepted by the House of Bishops, and his coadjutor, Right Rev. Boyd Vincent, becomes bishop of the diocese.

N. O. ROUSTABOUTS.

White Men Taking the Places of Negroes on the River Steamers

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW ORLEANS, LA., Oct. 12.—The passing of the negro as a "roustabout," marking an era in steamboating on the Mississippi river, was witnessed by a large crowd of people, who to-day saw sixty white men, sent here from Western and Northern cities, go to work at the steamboat landing in place of the colored men. For years the steamboat men have suffered from the strikes of negro "rousters," who have been in the habit of waiting until a steamboat was loaded and ready to leave and then refusing to ship unless their wages were raised. The steamboat interests recently decided to try the experiment of doing away with the negro and his men, and the first contingent went to work to-day. A crowd of negroes appeared on the levee, but no attempt to molest the strangers was made. Precautions have been taken to send police to the river front in case of violence.

A MAN HUNT.

Officers in Pursuit of the Murderer of Burton at Bristol, Tenn.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

BRISTOL, TENN., Oct. 12.—The hunt to-day for members of the Watson family, implicated in the murder of Wm. S. Burton at their home in the suburbs of the city, has so far resulted in the capture of Nelson Watson, father of the boys, and his son-in-law, Dave Moore. They were tracked to Tennessee by blood hounds and arrested about noon to-day. The boys Clint and Grover Watson, one of whom it is believed killed Burton, escaped into Virginia and when last seen were heading for the West Virginia coal fields.

The National Republican (Stalwart) State ticket of Wisconsin, headed by former Governor Elward Scofield, will remain in the field. This was decided after a protracted meeting of leading stalwarts from every part of the State yesterday, when the question of withdrawing the ticket came up for discussion.

DAVIS' CAMPAIGN IN WEST VIRGINIA.

No Dampening of Enthusiasm or Diminishing of Crowds Greeting the Candidate.

MANY SPEECHES WERE MADE.

The Day Was Set Apart as a Holiday at Several Places—Acres of People at Fairmount—Talks by Messrs. Hill and Daniel.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

FAIRMONT, W. VA., Oct. 12.—The second day of the Davis campaign through Maryland and West Virginia has added to the reputation of Mr. Davis as a "young" old man. He repeated his record of yesterday with a dozen speeches, and added one more for good measure. Despite the rain which followed the train during the first half of the day, there was no dampening of enthusiasm or diminishing of the crowds which greeted the candidate. At Grafton and Clarksburg the day seemed to be set apart as a holiday. In the latter place an elaborate marching escort and several bands were in waiting, the party was conducted to the court house, and the speeches which were delivered from the portico of the jail building adjoining were listened to by the largest out-door audience yet assembled in the journey. An indication of the earnest side of the campaign was the attendance of miners, begrimmed with their work, which they had left temporarily to listen to the speakers. While Mr. Davis is a serious talker, and especially when he touches on State issues which he has been emphasizing, his general address is unique.

Senator Daniel exercises his faculty for some local or immediate incident to bring him in cordial touch with his hearers. Ex-Governor Whyte has good humor at all times, and Mr. Hill, while always serious in his discussion of the issues, has a way of showing his humor to advantage. Mr. Hill has dubbed Mr. Davis "The Grand Old Man of West Virginia," and tells some of his audiences that Gladstone and Bismarck are nowhere in comparison. Senator Daniel declares that he is having a more strenuous time in keeping up with "Young Davis" than he had in following the lead of Stonewall Jackson in a grey jacket during the war.

The special to-day touched at the following places: Oakland, Md., Terra Ayia, Rowlesburg, Tunnelton, Newburg, Grafton, Clarksburg, Gypsey, Enterprise, Worthington, with a night meeting at Fairmont, where the train was side tracked for the night.

FAIRMONT, W. VA., Oct. 12.—Acres of people greeted the campaigning party of Henry G. Davis at Fairmont tonight. A special train from Morganton brought a marching club, composed of students at the State University, and bands and tin horns furnished a spectacular feature. The speech-making took place on the portico of the court house and the street and plazza in front were blocked with people who stood throughout, listening to and cheering extended speeches by Mr. Davis, Senator Daniel, Mr. Hill and Mr. Whyte.

FOOTBALL.

Record of Games Played by College Teams Yesterday.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

Harvard, 11; Bates, 0.
Brown, 12; Wesleyan, 0.
Amherst, 23; Bowdoin, 0.
Princeton, 6; LaFayette, 0.
Columbia, 12; Swarthmore, 0.
University of Pennsylvania, 2; Gettysburg College, 0.
University of North Carolina, 50; Bingham School, 0.

WARM WIRELETS.

George Washington Murray, appointed postmaster at Huger, S. C., is not ex-Congressman Murray, who bears the same name.

Representatives of the Mormon church, of Utah, are negotiating for the purchase of a tract of 300,000 acres of land in the State of Tabasco, Mexico.

C. J. Cassimus, retired fruit dealer, was run over and killed by a street car in Montgomery, Ala. Eye witnesses say the man deliberately walked upon the tracks.

Governor John L. Bates, of Massachusetts, has appointed Governor W. Murray Crane, of Dalton, U. S. senator, to fill the unexpired term of George F. Hoar, recently deceased.

The First Presbytery of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church, in session at Steele Creek, N. C., has voted against the proposition to unite with the United Presbyterian Church. The vote stood 36 to 34.

City Sergeant Rogers, of Charlottesville, Va., passed through Richmond last evening for Petersburg, where he will summon fifty men from among whom a jury will be obtained, if possible, for the case of ex-Mayor McCue, of Charlottesville, whose trial for the alleged murder of his wife will begin next Tuesday.

COLLEGE AND SCHOOL.

Funds for the building and endowment of a German school in Yokohama are being raised in Berlin.

President David Starr Jordan of Leland Stanford university has presented to the institution as a gift his magnificent collection of books on the subject of ichthyology.

Five members of the Byers family of Pittsburg, who have been graduated from Yale, will donate to the university the steel truss work necessary to support the immense glass roof over the proposed addition to the gymnasium.

The department of physical education at Amherst college has been strengthened recently by the endowment of a fellowship of $500 income. It is the gift of the daughter of the late Charles Pratt of Brooklyn, whose sons had previously given the gymnasium, athletic field and hospital.

Negro Shooting Affair.

Eugene Ellington, the negro who shot Willie Jackson, the cook at the Only Restaurant, several weeks ago, was given a preliminary hearing before the Mayor yesterday afternoon and was bound over to Superior Court under $100 bond, which was given. Jackson appeared as a witness in the case. Brooke G. Empie, Esq., counsel for Ellington, put in a plea of self defence for his client.

Quality is what makes price. If Burnett's Vanilla Extract was no better than other extracts, its price would be the same. Once tried always used.

HON. MATTHEW W. RANSOM.

Eloquent Tribute Paid to North Carolina's Distinguished Son at the University Banquet Last Evening.

At the University banquet last night at The Orion an eloquent tribute was paid to the late Senator Matthew W. Ransom, by Herbert McClammy, Esq., a leading member of the Wilmington bar, who responded to the toast "Hon. Matthew W. Ransom, a Product of the University." Just now when the whole State is paying respect to this honored patriot and statesman, the remarks of Mr. McClammy are well worth reproduction. Mr. McClammy said:

Mr. Toastmaster and Gentlemen:

I cannot in the time allotted me tell you of the glowing deeds of this son of the University, who cherished the institution above all literary colleges of the Union, and attributed his success in life to the principles there instilled in his youth. I regret that I can on this beautiful occasion bring no fit offering that would do justice to this pure patriot, brave soldier, fine scholar, and great statesman, Honorable Matt. W. Ransom, a product of the University of North Carolina.

But when I talk to you of that great and illustrious master of English eloquence, whose tongue lies silent in the cold embrace of death, you at once realize that the life of so great a man has left behind it an immortal name that can never die.

In the early days of his manhood he was called to the council chamber of his State upon questions affecting Constitutional rights, and from thence onward with enlarged opportunities for usefulness, with the highest appreciation of every trust reposed in him, with a boundless ambition to aid in the delivering for North Carolina that glorious destiny upon which she has entered, exerting every ability and faculty with which the Great God had endowed him, with unswerving faith and honest pride where duty called him, he served well the interest of North Carolina.

Seated in the Senate of the United States amidst the most flashing intellects of the world, types of distinct, yet united Empires, across whose past swept golden floods of light and splendor, and names that flash like jewels in their illustrious history, his eyes ever turned with pride to the old North State which first proclaimed Independence, from which freedom rent across seas and continents and distant ages with her sublime invocation.

To the people of his State he was as kind as a father, gentle as a child, and possessed with a courage as great as the world has ever seen. No traitor's hand ever dared to arrest him in his glorious march in protecting the rights of the people of his State.

In the dark days of 1868 and '69, when your State government, your lives, your fortunes and your liberties, all past traditions and future hopes were delivered to the Holdens, the Kirks and the Bergens, when the highest legal tribunal in the State had declared that the judiciary had been exhausted—which utterance stilled the hearts of the wives and mothers of the husbands and sons who were bound with fetters of infamy and of shame—this old Roman, in proud array, irresistible and defiant, with a petition in one hand and a flag of the United States government in the other, rode upon an engine from the capital of your State to Elizabeth City, applied to a Federal judge for a writ of habeas corpus, secured the writ, returned to Raleigh, released from captivity the injured and the innocent, and with those shackles that had played so great a part in an open defiance of the law, he overthrew this wicked government and established one of peace and quietude where fresh and fragrant flowers blossom in nature's beauty.

What he did for his people, his State, and the nation came naturally to him. He was not a Secessionist, but a strong Union man. But when the call to arms was sounded he fell into ranks as a private, rose to that of Major General in the Confederate Army, and when the contest was ended this great statesman and warrior blotted forever from his mind the bitter memories of the war, for he knew that the brave soldier and the pure patriot could no longer cherish them, and now, he together with other great Generals are meeting upon the distant shores, and wear no longer the blue and the gray, but raiments of spotless white in the lands of infinite peace.

This great man was a product of the University of North Carolina, and the fairest gem that sparkled in the Coronal of its history.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

☞ NOTICES For Rent or Sale, Lost or Found, Wants, and other short Miscellaneous Advertisements inserted in this Department, in solid Nonpariel Type, for 1 cent per word each insertion; but no advertisement taken for less than 20 cents. Terms positively cash in advance

Removal—Notice is hereby given that the grocery business conducted by the undersigned, corner of Fourth and Bladen streets, has been removed and opened at 505 North Fourth street. Thanking friends for past patronage, I solicit a continuance of the same. S. F. Craig. Oct. 11 3t

Help Wanted—A young colored man who is willing to work may secure regular employment by applying at the STAR office. Must give good recommendations as to sobriety and general character. oct 12 tf

For Sale—Four houses in southern part of the city. 1 five room store and house; 1 two-story, 8 rooms; 1 four rooms, 1 six rooms; lot 165x230. All for $3,500.00. If separated special prices will be made. Two houses on Chesnut street. Lot 75x50 for $1,025.00. On Market street, one house and lot, 33x150. Room in rear for house fronting on another street, $1,050.00. Apply to M. C. Darby & Co., real estate and renting agents, No. 114½ Princess street. oct 2 tf

Wanted.—An engagement for 1905 by experienced book keeper. An all round man in the mercantile business. Married. 35 years old. For personal interview, address box 276, Wilmington, N. C. oct 9 1mo

Posted—All persons are strictly forbidden from hunting, fishing or trespassing in any way on my land in Cape Fear Township, and any person or persons found thereon shall get the full benefit of the law. This October the 7th, 1904. W. T. Ritter. oct 8 10t*

New Series of Stock in Co-operative Building and Loan Association opens Saturday, November 5th, 1904. Subscribe for stock 25 cts. a share—worth $100 at maturity. This Association is prompt, reliable and secure. For full information see the Secretary, Wm. E. Worth, President, Thos. H. Wright, Secy. and Treas. Office No. 124 Princess street. nov 5 oct 7

Saw Mill for sale—Price $1,250, one half cash, balance on good time. Or will rent. Address H. C. Applewhite, Crosly, N. C. oc 4 1m

Wright & Son, Real Estate and Renting Agents, move on September 1st to the new building erected for them nearer Second street, No. 124. Pay rent, Building & Loan dues there, and call and see them for your next house. au 21 tf

For Sale—Two turpentine stills in good working condition—one especially good. Cheap for cash. C. W. Worth, receiver. dec 13 tf

The Dixie Cafe is a first class variety restaurant. Meals at all hours. Quick lunches a specialty. 117 Princess street. au 14 tf

Cabbage, Apples, Onions Irish Potatoes, Eggs and all kinds of produce at A. S. Winstead's to-day, 213 Market street. Both 'Phones. sep 5 tf

Sewing Machines, Typewriters, Organs repaired. Will be in town for a few days only. Address J. E. Farrar, No. 9 South Eighth street. dec 30 tf

Offices for rent in The Worth Building—the most convenient business location in the city. Modern equipment. Apply to The Worth Co. feb 16 tf

The Only Restaurant is prepared to accommodate any number for breakfast, dinner and supper at the reasonable price of 25 cents each meal. Also special attention given to short orders at any time, day or night. ja 26 tf

Successful Millinery Opening.

THE C. W. POLVOGT CO.

The Store That's Always Busy,

No. 9 North Front St.

Thanks for Your Liberal Patronage.

Our Millinery Department was a busy section in our Store on our opening days, last Thursday and Friday. We appreciated your liberal patronage and complimentary remarks, and we hope to please those who have not already purchased their millinery. New Creations will be added as fast as they come, and a visit is solicited.

WE BEGIN FALL BUSINESS in earnest and invite your attention to the many attractions that we are offering in this advertisement.

Silk Sale

We are going to make this week a great selling in our Silk department—36-inch Warranted spot proof Taffetta $1.20 per yd.—value $1.50.

36-inch guaranteed taffetta 98c. per yd. Value $1 25 Colored Taffetta silks 69c per yd—value 85c.

Black Pean Desoie 98c per yd—value $1 25.

27-inch Fancy Costume silk 85c per yd—value $1 00.

19-inch Fancy Figured silks 55c per yd—75c values.

19-inch Colored satins 42c per yd—50c value.

Many other Fancy silks will be displayed with reduced prices—call early.

Silk velvets in all the new shades—special 75c per yd.

Ladies and Children Sweaters

just the season of the year for them. We have them in the Norfolk Jacket sytle for Ladies. Children sweaters for 4 years and upwards.

New arrival of knit shawls and fascinators.

Lace Curtains.

White and Arabian color Nottingham curtains, 50 styles to select from, prices 75c. to $10 per pair. Our $2 and $3 curtains are wonders; none but choice patterns are shown, all selected with great care.

Lace door panels, 75c. to $3 each.

Few odd pairs in lots of 1, 2 or 3 pairs will be sold at cost.

Bobbinet and Swiss ruffled curtains from 75c. to $3 a pair.

Damask portieres in all the new designs and colorings, $2 to $12 a pair; special values at $3.75 to $6 a pair.

Curtain loops for both lace curtains and portieres, 10c. to 75c. a pair.

Cambric Gowns.

At 50c. each, worth 65c. and 75c. Our muslin underwear department, always noted for its bargains in high grade garments, offers $1.25 ladies' extra fine quality gown at $1. each; all sizes in stock.

Turkish bath robes in dark and light colorings, $4 to $6 each.

Carpets and Rugs.

We make and lay all our carpets; prices quoted below include making, laying and lining.

Extra heavy quality of Sultan Velvet only $1.25 per yard.

Extra quality 10 wire Brussels carpet only $1.00 per yard.

Good quality tapestry carpet only 90c.

All wool ingrain carpets, 36 in. wide, only 75c. per yard.

All carpets sewed on our $250.00 carpet machine. Insist on having your carpets sewed with a machine.

Fancy straw mattings 10c. per yard.

Extra quality 116 warp matting 35c. per yard; choice patterns only.

9 by 12 extra quality Moquet Art Squares, special $25.00 each.

Full assortment of all wool Art Squares in all sizes and colors.

Upholstery Goods.

A full assortment can be found in our carpet department, with gimp and buttons to match.

Pantasote 50 in. wide, $1.25 per yard, in dark green, red and black.

ON OUR SECOND FLOOR you will find a well selected stock of Blankets, Comforters, Ladies' Wraps and Furs; all this season's selections. Visit our department.

The C. W. Polvogt Co.

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The Road to Clothing

Satisfaction Leads to

SOLKY'S STORE.

We Have the Largest Stock of Boys' Suits, Overcoats and Knee Pants in this City,

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And if you wish to know how to dress your boys correctly for this autumn and winter season and at the same time economically, we cordially invite you to visit our store and inspect the new season's Suits and Top Coats which we have gathered from the best manufacturers in the country. We have confined our purchases to two houses, but selected the best and the results certainly surpass every previous effort. It is not alone the modern prices that count with us, but the great values which we offer at each price and the genuine goodness in every fibre and thread, and the same rule applies to our Hats and Haberdashery.

We are proud of the offerings we're able to make at each price.

Boys' Clothing.

The boy will use his clothes hard if he is healthy and it is a good sign. It is "up to you" therefore to provide the kind that "will stand the racket." If you buy from us we guarantee that they will do so and our prices will always save you money.

SUITS, from.....$1.50 to $7.50
OVERCOATS, from.....3 00 to 7 50
KNEE PANTS, from.....50c to 1.50
HATS AND CAPS—ALL KINDS.

Men's Clothing.

Men's Top Coats $12.00 to $30. Men's Fall Suits $7.50 to $22.50. There are two collections, however, which we wish you to see particularly, and which will exemplify every phase of the new season's fashions in fabric and design, and they are the Suits and Top Coats which we have marked $12.50 to $16.50. You would not get the same quality and style made to measure for less than $22.00 to $25.00 and even then you will not be sure of the fit and satisfaction as you are here.

Our display of Autumn Hats and Haberdashery is complete with the finest the market affords, and on every purchase in either department, we guarantee a direct saving of money for you.

J. M. SOLKY & CO.,

One Price Clothiers and Furnishers. sep 29 tf

DO NOT FORGET

Hamme, the Hatter and Clothier.

We appreciate both large and small favors. Kindly give us some of your trade.

oct 8 tf 24 North Front St.

Wilmington and Southport Steam Boat Line.

Winter Schedule

Steamer Wilmington leaves Wilmington a Monday, Tuesdays and Wednesdays at 9:15, A M.

Leave Southport, 2 P. M.

Leave Southport Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays at 8 A. M.; leave Wilmington at 2 P. M.

Extra trip leave Wilmington on Thursday at 5 A. M.; Leave Southport, 5 P. M. Saturday freight received from 7 a. m. until 5 P. M.

J. W. HARPER.

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Cold Weather Sale of

Blankets and Quilts

—AT—

GEO. O. GAYLORD'S LARGE STORE.

Come Look Them Over.

Special extra size grey cotton blanket $1.25 kind, our store 98c pair.

$1.00 white and grey cotton blankets, our price 59c pair

$2.00 cotton 12 4 blankets, our store $1.65 pair.

Quilts and Blankets now ready.

500 rugs; handsome designs; low price.

$2 heavy quilts, extra size, fancy patterns, now $1.75.

We have about five dozen quilts, worth $1.25, we are selling at 98c.

Extra heavy quilts, $1.75 kind, our price $1.35.

Our leader, big value, worth $3.50, a handsome quilt, our price $2.98.

All-wool blankets—we can save you half; call and see them.

GEO. O. GAYLORD'S

Department Store.

THE PLACE THAT SAVES YOU MONEY

Leader in Millinery.

Presents Given For All Purchases. We Sell Cheap For Cash.

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NO CREDIT. **Enormous.** CASH STORE.

WINTER'S APPROACH

A day of sunshine now and then, but these frosty mornings admonish us that sable Winter is almost here. That suggests the comforts and satisfaction of one of our modern heaters. We have them this year of every shape and kind just the one to suit. Or, perhaps, it's a cooking stove or range. We have those too, And the point we are making for them all is that they furnish an even maximum of heat with the greatest economy of fuel.

We are yours just now for stoves and ranges, but all the time for hardware and agricultural implements. Let us serve you.

J. W. Murchison & Co.,

Importers and Dealers in all kinds of Hardware. Orton Building. 'Phone 106. oc 11 tf

Hanover Iron Works Co

Sheet Metal Work

of every description.

MILL AND STACK WORK,

Metal Roofing and Hot Air Furnace Work, Plumbing, Steam and Gas Fitting.

W. E. KING,

Bell 'Phone 741. No 21 Market St.

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W. C. Jones,

Greensboro, N. C.

STOCKS.

Specialty—American De Forest. Wireless Telegraph Co. Stock.

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Successor to Brock & King and Electrical Supply and Construction Co. A full line of electrical supplies always on hand. Estimates furnished on short notice on all kinds of electrical work. I have had 20 years of practical experience and guarantee all work. I am prepared to wire your office, factory or residence for electric lights, call bells, annunciators, burglar alarms, telephones, watchman's clock and speaking tubes. I wire open work, cleat and knob, moulding work or concealed. Finished residence can be wired concealed without cutting the floor, except taking up two planks on second floor, usually in hallway. My prices are very reasonable. Isolated plants for Mills and Steamboats a specialty. For further information 'phone No. 901 or address,

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Office and Storeroom old court house building, Wilmington, N. C.

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SCHOOL Supplies.

C. W. YATES & CO.,

oct 2 tf Market street.